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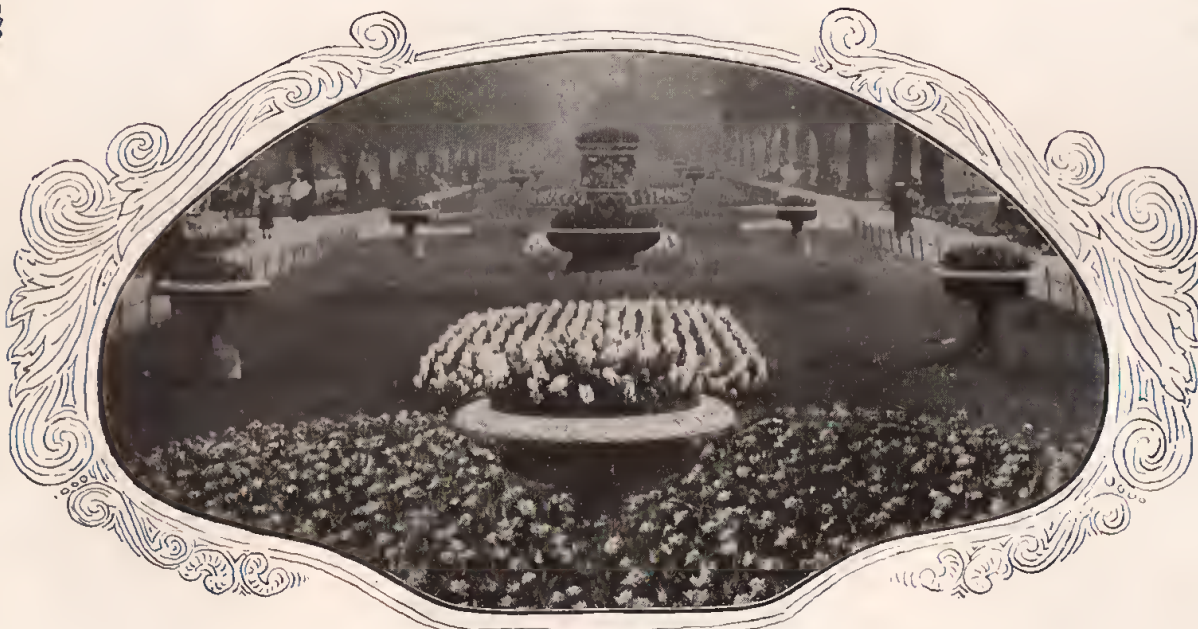
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Views in Carters Testing Grounds at Raynes Park ; Hyacinths, Narcissus, and Tulips.

BULB CULTURE IN BOWLS FOR ROOM GARDENING.

Carters Bulb Bowls for this culture are elegant in design and of a rich dark olive green shade throughout (with the exception of those otherwise described), which harmonises with the colour decorations of any apartment.

The markings on the Bowls illustrated are reflections from the surrounding objects, which is difficult to avoid on highly glazed ware. (See also page 34.)



No. 14. The Carter. New and original design.

6 in. diameter	...	.75 each.
7 in. "	...	1.00 "
8 in. "	...	1.25 "
Set of three, 2.50.		



No. 13. The Willow Pattern, in blue and white. A great favourite.

6 in. diameter	...	.50 each.
7 in. "	...	.75 "
8 in. "	...	.85 "
9 in. "	...	1.00 "
10 in. "	...	1.25 "
Set of five, 3.50.		



No. 15. The Lotus Bowl, in peacock blue, with raised red fish and blue and white flower decoration. A new and original design. 1.50 each; 2.75 pair.

No. 17. The May Bowl.

The Windsor pattern, beautifully decorated with raised May blossom. 7 in. across top, in rich olive green, 1.50 each.

No. 7. The Bird's Nest.

4½ in. across	...	.60 each.
6 in. "	...	.75 "
6½ in. "	...	.85 "

No. 14a. The Bolla.

6½ in. diameter	...	.75 each.
7½ in. "	...	1.00 "
8½ in. "	...	1.25 "
The set of three for 2.50.		

No. 5. The Orlando Box.—An oblong Box to match No. 4, in olive green only. 6 in. long by 3 in. wide, .60 each; 7 in. long by 4 in. wide, .85 each; 8½ in. long by 5 in. wide, 1.25 each.

PLEASE NOTE.—PRICES OF EMPTY BOWLS.—When ordered alone these do not include Packing and Carriage, which is charged extra.



No. 2. The Raynes Park Bowl.

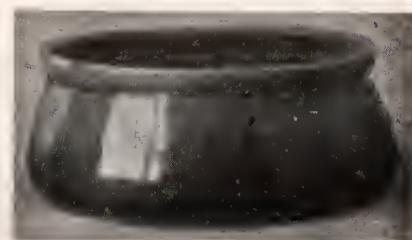
6 in. diameter	...	.50 each.
7 in. "	...	.75 "
8 in. "	...	1.00 "
9 in. "	...	1.25 "

Ready Planted with 12 Dormant Bulbs of the beautiful *Marechal Niel* Tulip in large Bowl. Price, 2.50.



No. 16. The Windsor.

5½ in. diam.	...	.75 each.
6½ in. diam.	...	1.00 each.
7½ in. diam.	...	1.25 each.



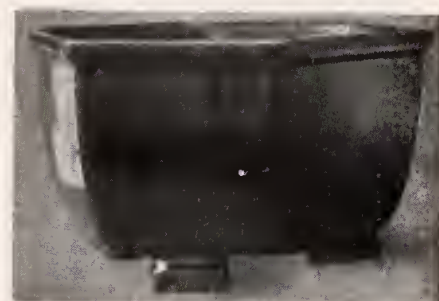
No. 3. The Holborn.

5½ in. diameter	...	.50 each.
6½ in. "	...	.75 "
7½ in. "	...	1.00 "
8½ in. "	...	1.25 "



No. 13a. The Chelsea Willow Pattern, in the old-fashioned Chelsea decoration of blue and green shades on white ground.

6 in. diameter	...	.50 each.
7 in. "	...	.75 "
8 in. "	...	1.00 "
9 in. "	...	1.25 "



No. 4. The Hexagon Bowl. A very chaste design in olive green.

5½ in. diameter	...	.75 each.
6½ in. "	...	1.00 "
7½ in. "	...	1.25 "

No. 9. The Square Box.

Useful for ferns as well as bulbs. 5 in. square by 4½ in. high .75 each. 6 in. " 5½ in. " .85 "

ANEMONES.

Cultivation.—The Anemone, or Wind Flower, thrives best in rich soil, which should be fairly well drained. The single and double varieties may be planted for succession from the latter part of September until April, although we do not recommend the autumn except in warm and sheltered situations: for exposed and cold positions plant from early January to April.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 2 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.



Carters Empress Poppy Anemone.

Carters Empress Poppy.—SUITABLE FOR VASE DECORATION, LASTING WHEN CUT. An easily grown type that should be found in every garden. They come into bloom the end of May and throughout June. Colours various and brilliant. The flowers are of immense size (often measuring four inches in diameter) and great substance, invaluable for cutting and decorative purposes generally, and the very moderate price at which they are offered admits of their being extensively used for the decoration of the shrubbery border, where a constant and brilliant display can be produced.

Dry roots, per doz., .35; per 100, 2.25; per 1,000, 17.50

Carters King of the Scarlets.—THE TRUE ENGLISH VARIETY. Intense brilliant scarlet, very double. A fitting companion to our well-known Single *Empress Poppy* Anemone. The flowers are of great size, intensely double, and remarkably brilliant in colour, much superior in every way to the Dutch variety.

Per doz., .45; per 100, 2.75; per 1,000, 25.00

Anemone Fulgens.—We offer the true early single form, fine English-grown roots of the well-known Scarlet Pau Anemone. A very brilliant scarlet crimson flower, rising from six to nine inches above the rich green palmate foliage; splendid for clumps in border, in a bed by itself, vase decoration, and also for naturalisation in sunny hedgerows or among the grass.

Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00



Carters St. Brigid Anemone.

Carters St. Brigid.—THE TRUE IRISH STRAIN. This beautiful strain, raised originally in Ireland and first brought into prominence by our House, deserves more than passing notice. The flowers are semi-double, most varied and beautifully coloured, and if cut before fully out are most useful for decorative purposes.

Strong dry roots, per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Latest Awards—Gold Medal of the Royal Horticultural Society to Carters Exhibit of beautiful Decorative Flowers from Seeds, Chelsea Gardens, May, 1916.

SINGLE ANEMONES.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 2 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.



Single Anemone The Bride.

The Bride.—Pure white.

Per doz., .15 ; per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50

Scarlet.—Brilliant colouring.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Blue.—Very pretty shades.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Mixed.—Fine showy colours.

Per doz., .15 ; per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50

DOUBLE ANEMONES.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 2 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

The following are selected for size of flower and are the brightest colours grown :—

Rose de Nice.—Soft rose, chrysanthemum flowered.

Per doz., .35 ; per 100, 2.25 ; per 1,000, 17.50

Double Scarlet, Mixed.

Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

Double Blue, Mixed.

Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

Double White, Mixed.

Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

Double Mixed.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Chrysanthemum Flowered.—Mixed colours.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

ANOMATHECA.

Anomatheca Cruenta.—An exceptionally pretty plant for either edging or rockwork, also does well for pots; colour, crimson scarlet; flowering end of July and August. Ht. about 8 in. Mailed free.

Per doz., .15 ; per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50



ACONITE (*Eranthis Hyemalis*).

Hardy winter-flowering plant; flower golden yellow. The dry roots should be planted as early as possible in autumn, almost close together in clumps about 2 in. deep if a mass of colour is desired. It makes a very pretty edging when planted in clusters alternately with Snowdrops, whilst if the blue *Chionodoxa* or *Scilla Siberica* is included in the planting, the variation of blue, white, and yellow is pleasing.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 2 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

Extra Strong Bulbs.

Per doz., .15 ; per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50



Allium Neapolitanum.

ALLIUM.

Hardy plants to bloom in spring and summer, suitable for borders, rockwork, and naturalising.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 1 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

Luteum.—Bright yellow flowers, producing at the end of May large heads on stems 15 in. high.

Per doz., .12 ; per 100, .90 ; per 1,000, 8.00

Neapolitanum.—Large heads of white flowers in charming clusters. Ht. 15 in.

Per doz., .15 ; per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50



Arum, Mrs. Roosevelt.

ARUM (Calla or Richardia).

The Arum Lily is a magnificent flower for decorative purposes, and can be easily grown in pots.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 3 lb. per doz. Single bulbs mailed free.

Mrs. Roosevelt.—This is an exceedingly hardy and beautiful variety, producing handsome soft lemon-coloured flowers and foliage of dark green, marked with splendid transparent silver blotches, making it a most attractive plant for decorative purposes. We also recommend for outdoor cultivation, but roots must be lifted in the autumn. This variety is of quite recent introduction, and attracted great attention at the Royal International and Holland House Shows, London.

Each, .35 ; per doz., 3.50

Dracunculus (Dragon Arum).—Purple-black flowers, large leaves with mottled stems ; curious and striking variety.

Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20

Sanctum, or Black Calla.

Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00

AUTUMN LAWN TREATMENT.—Send for Carters Book on All about Lawns and their Autumn Treatment—post free.

The Gold Medal awarded to Carters Flowers at the great London Chelsea Flower Show, May, 1916.



Amaryllis.

AMARYLLIS.

A showy tribe of bulbous plants, and exceedingly effective for conservatory decoration. Pot up the dry bulbs when received, in good loamy soil, and expect them to bloom the following summer, or earlier if pushed on in heat. When potting, use a compost of turfy loam and leaf-mould, coarse sand, and well-rotted cow-dung.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weights given against each sort. Single bulbs mailed free.

Bella Donna (Bella Donna Lily).—Soft pink. Weight 6 lb. per doz.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50

Formosissima (Jacobæ Lily).—Crimson. Weight 3 lb. per doz.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50

Purpurea (Vallota).—Splendid scarlet. Weight 3 lb. per doz.

Each, .30 ; per doz., 3.00

Mixed Seedlings.—From choice sorts. Weight 6 lb. per doz.

Each, .60 ; per doz., 6.00



Babiana.

BABIANA.

These beautiful flowers are suitable for either frame or greenhouse, and should be grown by all lovers of bulbous plants.

Choice Mixed.—Containing a splendid and varied assortment of colours.

Mailed free. Per doz., .35 ; per 100, 2.25

BEGONIAS.

The tuberous-rooted Begonia has become a plant of such importance, owing to the rapid improvement it has undergone, that no garden or greenhouse can be considered complete without it.

Tubers may be started into growth from January onwards, but the sudden plunging into a very hot temperature is not conducive to a good strong plant, therefore they should be put into a medium temperature. Place them in boxes filled with leaf-mould, and as soon as the tubers are started pot into small pots in a mixture of equal parts of leaf-soil and loam, with the addition of a little silver sand. When the roots reach the sides of these pots they should be re-potted into a larger size, using a little heavier compost than before. After a few weeks again re-pot them, this time into their flowering pots, using a compost of about two parts rich loam, one part leaf-mould, with a little sand or broken mortar rubble to keep the whole porous, and some broken charcoal and dried cow manure. Pot moderately firm, and place in a cool house, keeping it close for a few days until root action commences, afterwards giving ample air, and damping floors and stagings on warm days until flowering commences. Carters Veg Vita is a splendid stimulant during the growing period.



Carters Crown Jewels Double Begonia.

CARTERS "CROWN JEWELS" BEGONIA BULBS.

The blooms are of giant size, combined with perfect form.

Carters "Crown Jewel" Begonias represent the highest state of excellence both in single and double forms. We are constantly raising new seedlings, which are possessed of greater vigour than those varieties which are continuously propagated by cuttings.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 7 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

Single Begonias.—Choice named.

Each, .50; per doz., 5.00

Single Begonias.—Choice seedlings. Per doz., 3.00

Double Begonias.—Choice named.

Each, .50; per doz., 5.00

Double Begonias.—Choice seedlings. Per doz., 3.00

Carters Tested Flower and Vegetable Seeds for Fall Sowing, see loose insel.

CARTERS NEW FRINGED BEGONIAS.

A magnificent single strain for bedding or for pots. Flowers very large and of great substance, with the edges of each petal beautifully frilled or fringed. A great improvement on the ordinary single Begonia, and of particular value where the rather formal character of ordinary Begonias is considered a disadvantage. The moderate price enables them to be extensively used for bedding.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 7 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

	Each.	Per doz.	Per 100.
Scarlet ... ..	.15	1.50	10.00
Orange ... ..	.15	1.50	10.00
Yellow ... ..	.15	1.50	10.00
Rose ... ..	.15	1.50	10.00
White ... ..	.15	1.50	10.00
Salmon ... ..	.15	1.50	10.00
Mixed.—All colours ... ..	.15	1.50	10.00

SINGLE AND DOUBLE BEGONIAS.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 7 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

SINGLE.			DOUBLE.		
	Per doz.	Per 100.		Per doz.	Per 100.
Bright Scarlet .75	5.00		Copper ..	1.00	7.00
Copper ... .75	5.00		Pink... ..	1.00	7.00
Dark Crimson .75	5.00		Red	1.00	7.00
Pure White... .75	5.00		Rose	1.00	7.00
Pink ... .. .75	5.00		Yellow ...	1.00	7.00
Yellow ... .. .75	5.00		White	1.00	7.00
Mixed.			Mixed.		
All colours... .75	5.00		All colours	1.00	7.00

COLCHICUM.

(MEADOW SAFFRON).

These great Crocus-like flowers carpet the ground in September and October, with colours ranging from pure white to intense crimson. In flower borders or naturalised in grass they are most beautiful. The foliage does not appear till Spring, and is very varied. If planted in August and early September most of the Bulbs will bloom almost immediately. Colchicums should not be planted in grasslands used for grazing.

Autumnale Major.—Large purple blooms.

Each, .10; per doz., 1.00; per 100, 7.50

Autumnale Album.—Glistening pure white. Fine when seen in masses. Each, .10; per doz., 1.00; per 100, 7.50

Autumnale plenum.—Double large lilac flowers.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.25; per 100, 9.00

CHIONODOXA.

The Chionodoxa or "Glory of the Snow," as its name denotes, is a very early flowering bulbous plant; the different varieties are of varied shades of blue and look extremely pretty in whatever way they are planted—in beds, borders, or on rockwork. Whenever possible they should be left undisturbed, as each year they will improve. Plant from September to November. Collected Wild Bulbs are worthless for garden purposes and we offer only the best cultivated strains grown.



Chionodoxa Lucilia.

Luciliae.—Bright blue with large white eye, rather lighter in colour than *Sardensis*.

Mailed free. Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00



Gigantea.



Tmolusi.

Gigantea.—A charming variety, with large flowers of similar shade of colour to *Luciliae*, white eye.

Mailed free. Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Tmolusi.—An exceedingly pretty and attractive variety of a distinct bright blue colour and very free flowering.

Mailed free. Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Sardensis.—Rich Nemophila-blue coloured flowers and very small white eye. The flowers are borne in great profusion, and the appearance of the plant when in full bloom in the early spring months is most charming.

Mailed free. Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

CAMASSIA.

Is a handsome star-shaped flower, and very worthy of culture. It has a beautiful bloom in May or June when well grown, and, like most of the family, it flowers better in a deep sandy loam, in a rather shaded position, than in any other situation.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 3 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

Camassia Esculenta.—Strongly recommended for naturalising. Ht. 1½ ft.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00



CROWN IMPERIALS.

The beautiful varieties of red and yellow single-flowered FRITILLARIA IMPERIALIS are very bold and handsome when placed in the conservatory. They bloom naturally early in the season. By potting the bulbs early and assisting them with a genial temperature as soon as the young growth begins to make its appearance, they are sure to do well. Ht. 3 to 4 ft. *Photograph above*

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 4 lb. per doz. Single bulbs mailed free.

Single Red Each, .25; per doz., 2.50

Single Yellow Each, .25; per doz., 2.50

Gold Edged.—Flowers orange scarlet with gold-edged foliage, making a striking plant for herbaceous borders. Each, .30; per doz., 3.00

Fine Mixed.—Containing many good varieties. Each, .20; per doz., 2.00

Red Maximus (Giant Red).—Brick-red flowers of immense size. Each, .40; per doz., 3.50

CROCUS.

NAMED CROCUS.
STRIKING NEW VARIETIES.

For Bedding and Pot Culture.

*If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 3 lb. per 100.
 Dozens mailed free.*

Dorothea.—Pale lavender mauve, with white base inside ; very distinct and effective variety, large open flower.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Hero.—Large deep purple broad flower, superb and handsome ; finest self purple in cultivation.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Honorine Joubert.—Most distinct pure white variety ; tall slender petals ; very free flowering

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Irene.—Purple mauve, striped and splashed ; stem and base purple ; very large and handsome variety.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Kathleen Parlow.—The finest pure white variety grown ; large globular flower. Unlike most white sorts, this variety has hardly any colour marking at base. Award of Merit R.H.S. Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Marie.—Pale mauve, large open flower, base and stem purple.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Pearl.—Outside petals white ground, feathered purple mauve, with purple mauve base ; inside petals almost self mauve.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Phantasy.—Heavily splashed purple ; inside petals almost self purple ; outer petals purple veined white, with base and stem dark purple ; extremely large, handsome, and effective variety.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

President Grant.—Mauve striped, each petal very evenly marked, shading lighter towards the tip, giving flower very distinct and charming appearance ; large showy variety.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Raphael.—An extremely pretty and effective crocus, pale lavender mauve with white feathering and light edge ; rather small flower but very free bloomer.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00



Carters Royal Parks White Striped.

CARTERS ROYAL PARKS GIANT CROCUS

For Open Ground or Pot Culture.

These giant varieties are selected for large size of bulb and flower, combined with hardiness of character. They are useful for bedding or pots.

*If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 3 lb. per 100.
 Dozens mailed free.*

Carters Royal Parks Yellow.—The grandest golden yellow.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Carters Royal Parks Purple.—Rich deep purple.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Carters Royal Parks White.—Purest snow white.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Carters Royal Parks Blue.—Blue.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Carters Royal Parks Purple Striped.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Carters Royal Parks White Striped.

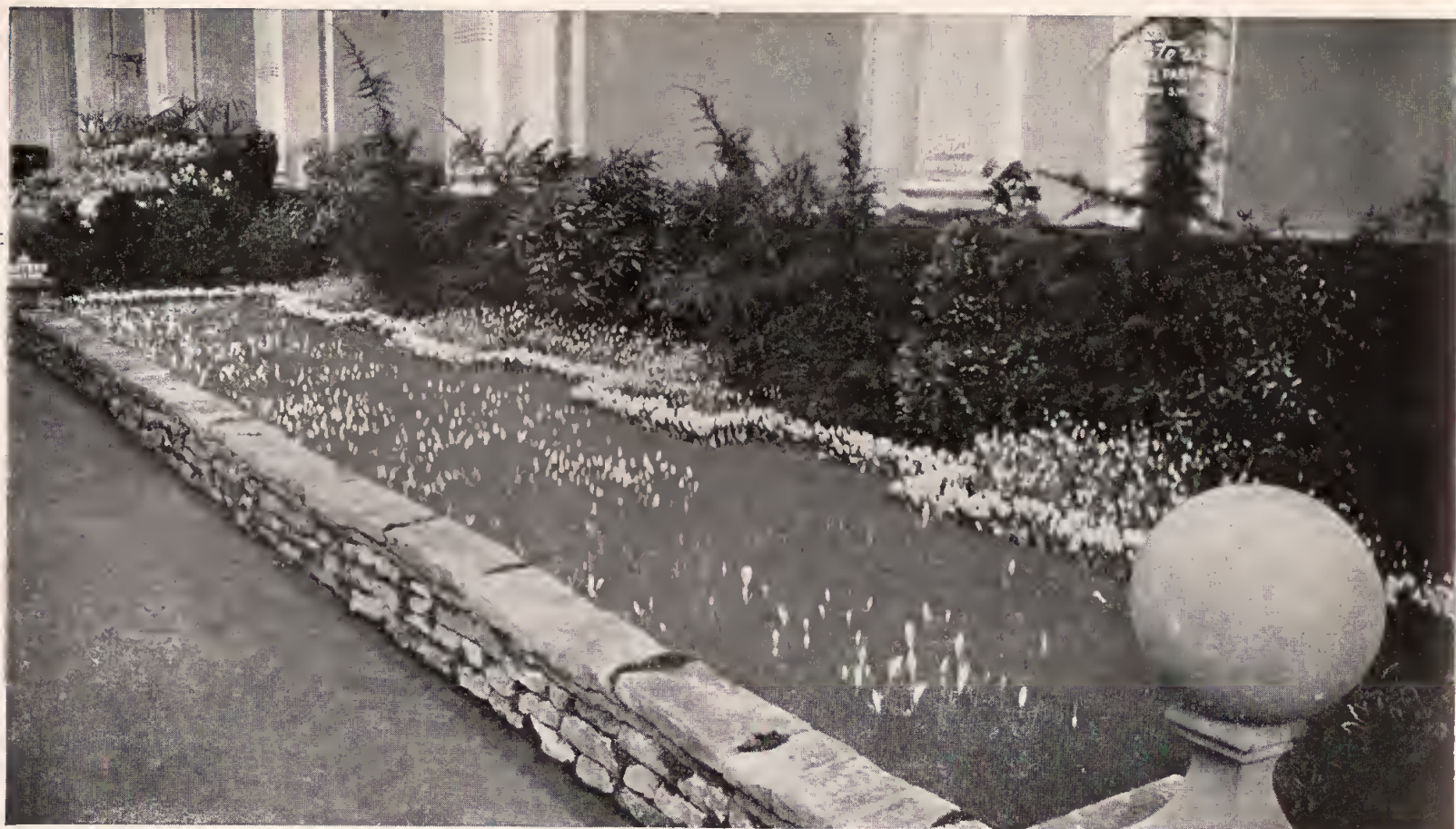
Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Carters Royal Parks Mixed.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00



Carters Royal Parks Crocus at Waterlow Park, London.



Carters Crocus Garden, exhibited in the Royal Horticultural Society's Hall at Westminster, London. The lawn of young grass, from Carters Tested Seeds, was also greatly admired.

NAMED CROCUS, OLDER, BUT GOOD VARIETIES FOR BEDDING AND POT CULTURE.

Most of the following varieties are not quite as large flowering as the newer introductions on previous page.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 3 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

Baron von Brunow.—Outside petals purple mauve ; inside petals mauve, with purple base.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Caroline Chisholm.—One of the best of the older varieties of white crocus ; good bold globular flower.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

David Rizzio.—Purple variety ; good colour, but rather small flower. Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

King of the Whites.—Large handsome pure white variety ; globular ; tall grower and free bloomer.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

La Majesteuse.—Outside petals white, feathered mauve ; inside petals mauve, feathered white ; base and stem purple mauve.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Louis d'Or.—Golden yellow variety ; strong grower and free bloomer, mostly throwing from 7 to 10 flowers from a single bulb.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Mont Blanc.—Pure white variety of good substance, with slight purple marking at base.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Madame Mina.—Outside petals white, with faint mauve feathering ; inside petals mauve, margined white ; base and stem purple mauve.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Purpurea Grandiflora.—One of the largest flowered varieties grown ; fine deep purple ; large globular flower.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Queen Victoria.—White ; good old well-known variety, faint mauve marking on base and stem.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Sir John Franklin.—Lavender purple outside petals, with slightly lighter shade on inside petals ; base and stem purple.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Sir Walter Scott.—White, slightly feathered mauve ; good sized globular flower ; base and stem purple mauve.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

CROCUS FOR THE OPEN GROUND.

Largest Golden Yellow.—Extra fine.

Per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Golden Yellow.—Good. Per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50

Large Blue.—Mixed shades. Per 100, .75 ; per 1,000, 7.00

Large White.—Mixed varieties. Per 100, .75 ; per 1,000, 7.00

Large Striped.—Mixed varieties.

Per 100, .75 ; per 1,000, 7.00

Cloth of Gold.—Golden yellow variety of unusual character ; small open flower with recurved petals, with brown striping outside ; for rockeries and massing in clumps, but too small for ordinary edgings. Per 100, .75 ; per 1,000, 7.00

Cloth of Silver.—White, flaked blue ; early flowering. Per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

MIXED CROCUS.

Extra Fine Flowering. Per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50

Large-flowering Roots. Per 100, .75 ; per 1,000, 7.00



Cyclamen.

CYCLAMEN.

A magnificent flowering plant for winter and spring decoration.

Dry Bulbs of Cyclamen.—Those who prefer growing from bulbs may obtain them in a dormant condition from September to November. These are potted up and kept in an airy place through the autumn, and brought into gradual heat in winter, according to the time they are wanted for decorating the conservatory.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 2 lb. per doz. Single bulbs mailed free.

Carmine	Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00
Deep Crimson	Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00
Pure White	Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00
Rose	Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00
White with Rose base ...	Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00
Mixed. —All varieties...	Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50

Seeds of Carters Superb Mixed Cyclamen

For sowing in winter, in sealed packets, each, .50

DAFFODILS AND NARCISSUS.

See pages 27 to 34.

DOG'S TOOTH VIOLET.

A very curious but exceedingly pretty group of hardy plants, admirably adapted for massing in rockeries or garden borders. The foliage is elegantly marbled, and the flowers are exquisitely beautiful, greatly resembling Cyclamen in appearance. Ht. about 6 in.

Red	<i>Mailed free.</i> Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50
White	<i>Mailed free.</i> Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50
Purple	<i>Mailed free.</i> Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00
Fine Mixed	<i>Mailed free.</i> Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25
Grandiflora, Extra Fine Mixed. —Large-flowered varieties,	<i>Mailed free.</i> Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50

FRITILLARIA.

These may be placed anywhere in the garden or amongst the grass, but they prefer a moist and partially shaded place, and when in clumps in such situations they look both striking and beautiful when in bloom in May. Ht. 9 in.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates weight 2 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

Fritillaria Meleagris Alba.—Pure white.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Fritillaria Meleagris, Fine Mixed.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Fritillaria Imperialis.—See CROWN IMPERIALS, page 8.

FREESIA.

The Freesia is of easy culture, and the spikes of white and primrose coloured flowers are produced in great freedom. As soon as obtained, place six bulbs in a 48-sized pot filled with a compost consisting of about three parts light sandy loam and one of sweet leaf-mould, with a few small crocks and a handful of half-rotted leaves in the bottom of each pot for drainage. The pots should then be stood on coal ashes in a dry situation. As soon as the plants have made half an inch of growth they should be removed to a position near the glass in a cool frame, and shaded heavily at first. Afterwards gradually inure them to light and a little air. To assist the consequent production of stout flower spikes, waterings of tepid diluted liquid manure should be given.

Purity.—The true, pure white variety. This new and improved large variety is a decided improvement on all other varieties yet produced ; is a much stronger grower, producing a larger, stronger, and bolder flower in conjunction with being very free flowering ; is an excellent forcing variety, and used extensively for this purpose.

Mammoth Bulbs. Per doz., .50 ; per 100, 3.25 ; per 1,000, 27.50

First Size Bulbs. " .40 ; " 2.50 ; " 20.00



Freesia Refracta Alba.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 2 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

Freesia Refracta Alba.—The pure white variety, strikingly beautiful, exquisitely perfumed. They will be found to produce an abundance of pure white flowers.

Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

Freesia Leichtlini Major.—Large sprays of yellow and white flowers. Strong flowering bulbs.

Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

Excelsior (New).—A superb cream-coloured variety.

Per doz., .90 ; per 100, 6.00

GLADIOLUS.

CARTERS SUMMER-FLOWERING VARIETIES.

*Gladiolus, The Bride.*

All varieties of Summer or Early Flowering Gladioli are of light and graceful habit, particularly suited for vase decoration when cut. They thrive best in a light and well-matured soil. Plant from October until January.

*If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 4 lb. per 100.
Dozens mailed free.*

The Bride (*see Photograph*).—Pure white. An exceedingly pretty and free-flowering variety ; most useful for decorative work. Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Ackermanni.—Rose, with carmine and white blotches. Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Blushing Bride.—White ground with deep crimson markings ; superb. Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Charles McIntosh.—A very striking variety ; brilliant scarlet, with dull purple blotch ; tall and handsome. Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00 ; per 1,000, 25.00

Peach Blossom.—A charming peach-coloured variety. Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

Queen of Holland.—Pure white, flaked sulphur, dark rose bordered. Per doz., .35 ; per 100, 2.25 ; per 1,000, 17.50

Rosy Gem.—Rosy pink ; a favourite in Covent Garden. Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Salmon Queen.—Clear salmon pink ; exquisite. Per doz., .35 ; per 100, 2.25 ; per 1,000, 17.50

The Queen.—A fine variety, of recent introduction ; white, lower petals blotched cream, margined crimson ; tall, strong grower ; free bloomer. Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50 ; per 1,000, 30.00

Early Flowering, Mixed. Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

AUTUMN-FLOWERING GLADIOLUS.

The best varieties for beds and borders.

During the past few years giant strides have been made in the raising of new varieties in various shades of blue, red, pink, scarlet, crimson, yellow, and white, and the sorts offered by us are selected for their splendid colouring and robust constitutions. To show the popularity these flowers have now attained, there are two Autumn Shows at the Royal Horticultural Hall set specially apart for them.

If by parcel post add .10 per doz. or .75 per 100. Single bulbs mailed free.

*America.**Baron Hulot.*

Gladiolus.

Albion.—Pure white, cream blotch.

Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20

America (*see Photograph*).—Pale pink, magenta throat.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

Annie Wigman.—Pale sulphur yellow, small blotch.

Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00 ; per 1,000, 25.00

Baron Hulot (*see Photograph*).—Deep violet blue, small white stripes. First Class Certificate, National Gladiolus Society, 1912.

Per doz., .50 ; per 100, 3.25 ; per 1,000, 27.50

Blue Jay.—Mauve, lower petals purple, margined cream. Award of Merit, 1913. Each, .35 ; per doz., 3.50

Electra.—Glowing salmon, flaked cream, crimson markings. First Class Certificate, National Gladiolus Society, 1913, and First Class Certificate, Haarlem, 1913.

Each, .35 ; per doz., 3.50

Empress of India.—Deep maroon with darker markings. Award of Merit, National Gladiolus Society, 1912.

Each, .10 ; per doz., 1.00 ; per 100, 7.50

*Gladiolus.**Halley.**Mrs. Francis King.*

*If by parcel post add .10 per doz. or .75 per 100.
Single bulbs mailed free.*

Halley.—A magnificent large-flowering variety, light salmon, having throat and portion of three lower segments flushed sulphur, with magenta markings.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

Mrs. Francis King.—Salmon scarlet shaded, lower petals crimson blotched.

Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50 ; per 1,000, 30.00

Faust.—Deep crimson, faint white markings.

Per doz., .50 ; per 100, 3.25 ; per 1,000, 27.50

Golden West.—Orange scarlet, large creamy yellow blotches, crimson spotted. Award of Merit, National Gladiolus Society, 1912. Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00

Hollandia.—The pink *Brenchleyensis*. Strongly recommended. This is a sport from the popular scarlet variety. Colour a most delicate pink, inclined to pale primrose.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

Kunderi Glory.—Delicate blush pink, lower petals frilled and fluted. Per doz., .70 ; per 100, 4.50 ; per 1,000, 40.00

Liebesfeur.—Flame scarlet, handsome variety. First Class Certificate, National Gladiolus Society, 1913, and First Class Certificate, Haarlem, 1913.

Each, .40 ; per doz., 4.00

Lily Lehmann.—Pale sulphur passing to cream, rose flakings. Per doz., .75 ; per 100, 5.00

Niagara.—Cream, delicately suffused pink.

Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20

Panama.—Rose pink ; handsome flower. Award of Merit, National Gladiolus Society, 1912.

Per doz., .95 ; per 100, 6.50

Peace.—Fine large white variety with pink flush, lower part of flower feathered magenta mauve.

Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20

Pink Perfection.—Lovely pale pink shade. First Class Certificate, National Gladiolus Society, 1913, and First Class Certificate, Haarlem, 1913.

Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00

Princeps.—Crimson with white stripes on lower petals.

Per doz., .35 ; per 100, 3.50

Victory.—Sulphur yellow, deeper shade on lower petals.

Each, .10 ; per doz., 1.00 ; per 100, 7.50

Willy Wigman.—Delicate cream with dark red blotch.

Per doz., .60 ; per 100, 4.00 ; per 1,000, 35.00

*Carters Improved Butterfly Gladiolus.*

*If by parcel post add .10 per doz. or .75 per 100.
Single bulbs mailed free.*

CARTERS IMPROVED BUTTERFLY GLADIOLUS.

By careful hybridization and selection we have succeeded in producing a most unique strain of hybrid Gladioli containing an almost endless variety of colours. The new blue shades are in pleasing proportion, as are the more delicate cream and rose-ground varieties.

Carters Butterfly Strain, although large-flowered, is quite free from any suggestion of coarseness.

Strong Flowering Bulbs.

Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50 ; per 1,000, 30.00

HYBRID MIXTURES.

Gandavensis Hybrids.—Choice mixed, embracing all shades of colour.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

Lemoine's Blotched Varieties.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

Childsi.—Finest mixed hybrids.

Per doz., .50 ; per 100, 3.25 ; per 1,000, 27.50

Nanceianus.—Finest mixed hybrids.

Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00 ; per 1,000, 25.00

SCARLET BRENCHLEYENSIS.

Large handsome spikes of brilliant scarlet. This popular variety still holds its own on account of its vivid colouring and fine spike, the flowers opening uniform and giving superb effect in borders. We offer some exceedingly fine bulbs.

Monster Bulbs.

Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00 ; per 1,000, 25.00

Large Bulbs.

Per doz., .35 ; per 100, 2.25 ; per 1,000, 17.50



Carters Invincible Prize Gloxinia, exhibited at the Great London Flower Shows, awarded many Gold Medals.

GLOXINIA BULBS.

This beautiful flowering plant is very popular and exceedingly attractive in conservatory decoration. It has been greatly improved in the size and colours of the blossoms in recent years, and includes almost every shade. When grown from tubers they are treated somewhat like the Begonia, although during the younger stages of growth the plant prefers a moist, warm atmosphere. Directly the flower buds commence to burst they may be transferred to a drier situation, such as the conservatory staging affords. The soil recommended should be of a rich, loamy description, mixed with sand and leaf-mould, and they may be fed with liquid manure up to the time the buds appear.

Our stock of Invincible Prize Gloxinias embraces the greatest variety of colouring and form, including rich crimson, white and blue grounds, elegantly mottled, and a great variety of beautiful parti and self colours. The flowers are of immense substance, and will be found immeasurably superior to other strains.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 4 lb. per 100. Single bulbs mailed free.

All for delivery after December 15th.

Invincible Prize.—Unnamed seedlings.

Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

Invincible Prize.—Choice named.

Each, .40 ; per doz., 4.00 ; per 100, 28.00

White with blue border.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

White ... Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Blue with white border.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Brilliant red ... Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Deep blue ... Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Spotted ... Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Red with white border.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

THE "WONDER"

COLLECTION OF BULBS.

1,000 Flowering Bulbs for 7.50.

By Express only.

50 Hyacinths, mixed.	25 Daffodils, double.
25 Tulips, mixed double.	25 " single, large
25 " mixed single.	flowered.
25 " May flowering	25 Allium Luteum.
mixed.	25 Anemones, mixed.
50 Snowdrops, Giant, single.	25 Ranunculus, mixed.
25 Narcissus, Pheasant Eye.	25 Blue Bells.
25 " Emperor.	50 Iris, Spanish mixed.
25 " Stella.	25 Ixias, mixed.
25 " Cynosure.	100 Crocus, blue.
25 " Polyanthus,	100 " white.
mixed.	100 " yellow.
25 " Alba Plena,	25 Chionodoxa.
Odorata.	25 Feather Hyacinths.
25 " Minnie Hume.	25 Grape Hyacinths.
25 Jonquils, sweet scented.	25 Triteleias.



HYACINTHUS CANDICANS.

A tall-growing bulbous plant, with long spear-like leaves. Planted in shrubberies or borders from autumn to early spring on rich soil, it throws up a candelabra-like spike of white bell-shaped flowers the following summer which are very effective, and make a splendid background for Gladiolus. Ht. from 3 to 5 ft.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 7 lb. per 100.

Hyacinthus Candicans.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 2.00

HYACINTHS.

Cultural Hints.—Almost any good soil and situation suit these popular plants.

The best season for planting runs from September to the end of November. A few spare bulbs should always be planted separately to replace failures in the beds from vermin or other causes. A bed or border that has produced a heavy show of summer-flowering plants needs renovating between the time they are lifted and the planting of the bulbs. The soil should be loosened and turned over, and a quantity of well-rotted stable manure incorporated—that taken from an old cucumber or marrow bed is suitable. The whole should then be levelled and made firm, and the bulbs put in as follows:—If the bed or border is square or oblong it is best to commence at one end, and make a trench the requisite depth—say 4 in.—straight across. Into this place the bulbs at the proper intervals—say 6 in.—or if it is intended to plant tulips, daffodils, and narcissus alternately in the row, the bulbs should be put equidistant.

The time to begin potting the Hyacinth is early in September if a good and continuous succession is required. The best soil is a friable loam with a little leaf-mould and old stable manure. The 48-pot (5 in. across the top) will take one bulb nicely and larger sizes from two to three bulbs. Place the bulb, with a little silver sand underneath it, in the centre, so that when firmly planted in the soil the top will just be exposed. When the potting is completed, let the pots be placed on a level bottom of coal ashes in a frame or other open space, put a small inverted pot over the top of the bulb, and cover the whole to a depth of from 6 to 8 in. with more ashes, cocoanut fibre, or decayed leaves, and there let them remain. If placed in such a pit from the beginning of September, in from six to eight weeks the pots will be getting crammed with roots, and before that time it will be vain to attempt to force them to produce good flowering stems.



Early White Roman Hyacinths in Pots, and cultivated in Decorated Bowl.

EARLY WHITE ROMAN HYACINTHS.

Roman Hyacinths are exceedingly popular on account of their earliness, the succession that can be kept up by judicious plantings, the abundance of sweetly perfumed flowers, and their value for decoration in pots, baskets, or vases at seasons when white flowers are scarce. To have them in flower by Christmas they should be started early in September.

For their culture in bowls and room gardening, see page 34.

Carters Mammoth Bulbs. —Specially selected.	14 cm. and over	...	Per doz., .85 ; per 100, 5.50 ; per 1,000, 50.00
Carters First Size Bulbs. —Good flowering.	12 to 15 cm.	... ..	Per doz., .65 ; per 100, 4.25 ; per 1,000, 37.50

For a succession of bloom the following are recommended to come in two weeks later than the White Roman Hyacinths:—

Carters Early White Italian Hyacinths	Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00
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Autumn Sowing.—One of the best seasons to commence the operation of making a lawn is as soon as possible after the break-up of the hot summer weather, with the intention of sowing, if possible, at the end of August or during the early days of September. The soil is warm at the end of summer, and an abundance of rain and dew may be expected, which is very beneficial to the growth of the seed, and the young grass will have ample time to become well established before the real cold weather sets in.—*Carters Book on Lawns.* Post free from Boston.

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CARTERS NAMED HYACINTHS.

Carters extra fine Bulbs, selected for Pots and Glasses, suitable for exhibition. We specially recommend the Single varieties, as they are usually more reliable than the Double, especially for cultivation in glasses and bowls.

S signifies Single.

D signifies Double.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 3 lb. per doz Single bulbs and collections mailed free.



Baron Van Tuyll.

DARK BLUE.

Baron Van Tuyll (S).—Dark blue, bells of medium size, on long, slender, and very compact spike ; distinct variety.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50

Ivanhoe (S).—Large fleshy bells of violet blue, almost black ; medium spike ; handsome variety.

Each, .25 ; per doz., 2.50

King of the Blues (S).—Fine deep indigo blue, medium sized bells on long superbly handsome spike ; one of the latest varieties to bloom.

Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20

Marie (S).—Dark purplish blue, lighter at edge, deeper tone outside ; long close spike.

Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20

Menelik (S).—Very dark purple, nearly black, with black stripe in centre of bells, darker outside ; good long broad truss.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50

Prince of Wales (S).—Dark purplish violet, with very distinct white eye ; extremely handsome flower ; medium size spike.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50

A collection of one each of the above, .90, mailed free.



King of the Blues.

LIGHT BLUE.

Czar Peter (S).—Delicate lavender, with blue stripe ; large fleshy bells, china blue stripe outside ; good large solid spike.

Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00

Electra (S).—Pale lavender mauve, tinged blue outside ; medium size bell ; very large and heavy spike.

Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00

Enchantress (S).—Very pale lavender, tinged pale blue, light china blue outside ; bells large and fleshy ; medium size, compact spike.

Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00

Grand Lilas (S).—Pale lavender mauve, with deeper stripe, outside striped china blue ; medium size bells ; very compact spike.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50

Grand Maitre (S).—Pale lavender mauve, bright blue broad stripe on each bell ; outside of bells bright china blue ; long and very loose spikes.

Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20

Johan (S).—Pale silvery blue, with faint blue marking inside bell, bright blue stripe on outside bell ; large and fleshy ; very compact truss. This is the palest of all blue Hyacinths when fully out.

Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20

Perle Brilliant (S).—Light lavender blue ; large fleshy bells ; tall handsome spike.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50



*Lord Hartington.
(See Claret and Mauve.)*

Potgieter (S).—Pale silvery blue, very long bells, extremely faint stripe ; fine long handsome loose spike.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50

Queen of the Blues (S).—Long slender bells of silvery blue, with faint stripe ; very broad compact spike ; handsome variety.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50

Regulus (S).—Pale silvery lavender, striped blue, intensely bright china blue outside ; large fleshy bells ; compact spike.

Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20

Schotel (S).—Pale porcelain blue ; fine large bells ; well-formed spike.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50

A collection of one each of the above 11 varieties, 1.65, mailed free.

CLARET AND MAUVE.

L'Esperance (S).—Bright crimson claret colour ; quite distinct ; medium size compact truss.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50

Lord Balfour (S).—Large bells of purplish lilac, with broad pale stripe ; tall loose spike ; early ; very distinct and beautiful.

Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20

Lord Hartington (S).—Mauve magenta, with lighter stripe down centre of bells ; small and narrow, but large spike and very compact.

Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20

Mauve Queen (S).—Dark mauve, with faint stripe ; rather small bells ; rather late variety ; compact spike.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50

A collection of one each of the above 4 varieties, .50, mailed free.

CARTERS NAMED HYACINTHS.—Continued.*S signifies Single.**D signifies Double.**If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 3 lb. per doz. Single bulbs and collections mailed free.**La Victoire.**Gertrude.***DARK RED AND CRIMSON.****General Pelissier (S).**—Bright crimson; rather small bells, but very compact and long spike.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20

La Victoire (S).—Rich crimson lake; small bells, but long large compact spike; early; the finest crimson variety in cultivation.

Each, .20; per doz., 2.00

Lord Macaulay (S).—Deep rose pink, with darker stripe at centre of bells; medium size compact spike.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

Robert Steiger (S).—Dark carmine pink, with deeper stripe on each bell; rather slender compact spike.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20

Roi des Belges (S).—Crimson rose; small bells on long, well-formed, and compact spike.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20

Stanley (S).—Bright crimson lake, with salmon shading at back of bells; medium size but compact spike; striking and handsome variety.

Each, .20; per doz., 2.00

A collection of one each of the above, .85, mailed free*Roi des Belges.***LIGHT RED, PINK, AND ROSE.****Cardinal Wiseman (S).**—Long narrow bells of rose pink, spike very broad and solid; late and beautiful variety.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

Fabiola (S).—Delicate rose shade; rather small bells, but very dense large spike; striking and handsome variety.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

Gertrude (S).—Bright pink, with deeper stripe down centre of bells; rather small bells, but the most dense truss in cultivation.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20

Gigantea (S).—Small very pale pink bells, with darker stripe in centre; broad and very dense truss.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20

Jacques (S).—Handsome rose-pink variety; very long bells; extremely long loose spike; distinct and beautiful.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

Lady Derby (S).—Pale rose pink, with darker stripe down each bell; large and fleshy; broad handsome spike.

Each, .20; per doz., 2.00

*Lady Derby.***L'Ornement Rose (S).**—Delicate rose; medium size bells borne on long full spike.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20

Moreno (S).—Pale pink, with deeper stripe; very full and heavy spike; early variety.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20

Noble par Merite (D).—Handsome double form, rose-pink shade; long compact spike.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

President Roosevelt (D).—Pale rose, with pink stripe; rather small bells; fine double form; tall slender spike.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

Queen of the Pinks.—An exceedingly handsome variety; long and compact spike, large fleshy bells; one of the best in this colour.

Each, .25; per doz., 2.50

Rosea Maxima (S.)—Pale shell pink in front of bell, with much deeper shade at back; long and rather loose spike.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

Sultan's Favourite (S).—Pale pink at edge of bell, with carmine stripe at centre; good solid compact truss.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

*A collection of one each of the above 13 varieties, 1.85, mailed free.***WHITE SHADED.****General Vetter (S).**—Grand blush white, with very faint rose tinge at centre of bells; tall and rather loose spike.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

Grandeur à Merveille (S).—Medium size bell, opens pale pink and finishes an extremely pretty blush; tall and compact truss.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20

La Franchise.—Very large fleshy bells; pale blush, with slight rose marking at centre of bells; short and compact spike; very regular in habit.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20

Mimi.—Fine blush variety; good compact spike; bells of medium size.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

Mr. Plimsoil.—Pale blush; very large fleshy bells; tall compact spike.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20

A collection of one each of the above 5 varieties, .70, mailed free.

CARTERS NAMED HYACINTHS.—Continued.*S signifies Single.**D signifies Double.**If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 3 lb. per doz. Single bulbs and collections mailed free.***PURE WHITE.****Admiration (S).**—Pure white variety of great merit; large fleshy bells; tall compact spike.

Each, .20; per doz., 2.00

Alba Maxima (S).—Fine pure white; medium size fleshy bells formed closely together on tall spike.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

Albertine.—Pure white variety; tall, rather loose spike.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20

Angenis Christina (S).—Very fine pure white variety; good large spike; large fleshy bells.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20

Avalanche (D).—The most perfectly formed of all the Double White varieties; purest white; large handsome spike.

Each, .20; per doz., 2.00

Baroness Van Tuyll (S).—The smallest bells of any white variety, but very closely formed spike of good size, making it distinct and attractive.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

Blancheur à Merveille (S).—Large fleshy pure white bells; tall compact spike.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

*Avalanche.***King of the Whites (S).**—Fine pure white variety; large fleshy bells of great substance; large handsome spike.

Each, .20; per doz., 2.00

La Grandesse (S).—Without doubt one of the finest varieties ever raised; very large bells of purest white, borne on extremely long and handsome spikes.

Each, .20; per doz., 2.00

*La Grandesse.***L'Innocence (S).**—Large fleshy bells, with faint cream tint at back; well-formed spike; bells fairly close and overlapping; good reliable variety.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

Madame Van der Hoop (S).—Medium size fleshy bells; fairly compact spike; old and well-known variety.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

*L'Innocence.
(See Pure White.)***YELLOW.****Buff Beauty.**—Medium size bells of pleasing buff shade; good compact spike.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

City of Haarlem.—Pale lemon yell w; fairly large bell; broad heavy spike; the largest and best yellow variety.

Each, .20; per doz., 2.00

Ida.—Pale yellow, with deeper stripe centre of bells; long and rather loose spike.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

King of the Yellows.—Very deep yellow; medium size spike; specially recommended as the best late variety.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

Yellow Hammer.—Pale yellow; extremely compact and broad spike; very good early variety.

Each, .15; per doz., 1.50

*Yellow Hammer.**A collection of one each of the 5 varieties, .75, mailed free.***THE CARTER SELECTION OF HYACINTHS.****THE SIX KINGS.**

KING OF THE WHITES, pure, grand spike.
 KING OF THE YELLOWS, fine deep yellow.
 KING OF THE REDS, scarlet, distinct.
 KING OF THE BELGIANS, vivid scarlet.
 KING OF THE BLUES, dark blue.
 KING OF THE BLACKS, purplish black.

*The collection, picked bulbs, 1.30, mailed free.***THE SIX QUEENS.**

QUEEN VICTORIA, pure white.
 QUEEN OF THE NETHERLANDS, white.
 QUEEN OF THE YELLOWS, pale yellow.
 QUEEN OF THE BEAUTIES, pale rose.
 QUEEN OF THE HYACINTHS, vermillion.
 QUEEN OF THE BLUES, porcelain.

*The collection, picked bulbs, 1.30, mailed free.***The Combined Collection, Six Kings and Six Queens, 2.50, mailed free.**



CARTERS BEDDING HYACINTHS

IN REGENT'S PARK, LONDON.

HYACINTHS



FOR BEDDING.

Distinct Colours, Flowering Simultaneously. The Finest Quality. Carefully Hand-picked Single Varieties.
Selected from healthy stocks.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 2 lb. per doz., 12 lb. per 100.

												Per doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
Carters Royal Parks	Crimson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.75	5.00	45.00
"	Rose	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.75	5.00	45.00
"	Pink	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.75	5.00	45.00
"	Dark Blue	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.75	5.00	45.00
"	Bright Blue	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.75	5.00	45.00
"	Pale Blue	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.75	5.00	45.00
"	Mauve	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.75	5.00	45.00
"	Pure White	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.75	5.00	45.00
"	Blush White	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.75	5.00	45.00
"	Canary Yellow	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.75	5.00	45.00
"	Mixture.	—A choice mixture embracing all the above varieties									...	.75	5.00	45.00
"	Rich Purple Blue	} flowering about one week later than those above									...	.75	5.00	45.00
"	Carmine Pink										...	.75	5.00	45.00

SECOND SIZE UNNAMED BEDDING OR BORDER HYACINTHS.

Serviceable for beds of secondary importance, winding sweeps, carriage drives, &c. The bulbs give a profusion of bloom, which is not of quite the high-class character of those offered above.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 1½ lb. per doz., 12 lb. per 100.

						Per doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.							Per doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
Mixed Single,	Blue	...	...	...	...	.50	3.25	27.50	Mixed Single,	White	...	...	...	...	.50	3.25	27.50
"	Dark Blue	...	...	...	...	.50	3.25	27.50	"	Blush White	...	...	...	...	.50	3.25	27.50
"	Red	...	...	...	...	.50	3.25	27.50	"	Yellow	...	...	...	...	.50	3.25	27.50
"	Rose and Pink	...	...	...	...	.50	3.25	27.50	"	All Colours	...	...	...	...	.50	3.25	27.50

CARTERS ENGLISH IRIS.

The English Iris is a type of this lovely tribe that is not nearly so largely grown as its beauty deserves. The species consists of many varieties, differing chiefly in shades of colour in the bloom, in which white to sky blue largely predominate, but others are bright blue grading down to the richest purple. In some a trace of yellow veins or bands is seen. They reach a height of from 1 to 2 ft., and flower in June and July. A fine border plant in deep light soil. Invaluable for cutting. The bulbs should be procured and planted early, as they are very difficult to preserve when out of the ground.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 4 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

S signifies Standards.

F signifies Falls.



Gladstone.



Blue Mourant.



M. Blouet.



Mont Blanc.

Blue Mourant.—S, deep purplish mauve, heavily flaked dark violet ; F, broad porcelain blue, splashed purple, heavily veined white ; striking and beautiful.

Per doz., .50 ; per 100, 3.25

Gladstone.—S, broad silvery lilac, splashed mauve ; F, very pale lilac, veined mauve-purple ; very beautiful.

Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00

Grand Lilas.—S, light heliotrope, splashed mauve ; F, silvery lilac, more or less splashed mauve.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50

M. Blouet.—S, white, splashed mauve ; F, white, faintly splashed mauve.

Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00

Mont Blanc.—S and F, pure white, veined yellow.

Per doz., .35 ; per 100, 2.25

Othello.—S, purple, splashed violet ; F, purple blue, dark violet splashed.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50

Prince of Wales.—S, rich purple, splashed violet ; F, very rich dark blue ; a striking flower.

Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00

Rosa Bonheur.—S, white, heavily splashed deep claret ; F, white, flaked purplish mauve.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50

Thackeray.—S, pale silvery mauve, splashed heliotrope ; F, pale heliotrope.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50

Carters Extra Choice Mixed.

Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE IRIS.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 4 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

Two beautiful dwarf varieties of easy cultivation in pots or in the open ground. Will flower about Boat Race Day. The Oxford Blue Iris makes a nice pot plant if four bulbs are set into a 48-size pot, put in a frame for the winter and brought into a greenhouse shelf as soon as the growth is well up.

Oxford Blue (Reticulata).—Dark violet blue, sweet scented. Ht. 6 in. Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

Cambridge Blue (Persica).—A very pretty pale blue, with faint markings. Ht. 6 in. Each, .50 ; per doz., 5.00

VARIOUS IRIS.

Iris Pavonia (The Peacock Iris).

Mailed free. Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50

Iris Susiana (The Mourning Iris).—Very handsome pale blush and brown, pencilled.

Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00

CARTERS SPANISH IRIS.

The Spanish Iris, generally regarded as the "Orchid of the Flower Garden," is at its best during June, and exhibits lovely blossoms of varied shades. The bulbs should be planted in clumps in loose, sandy soil, about 3 in. apart, and 3 to 4 in. in the ground.

We have selected the following varieties as being the pick of the newer introductions of this striking and easily grown flower.

S signifies Standards.

F signifies Falls.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 3 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.



Beauty.



Jaune Supreme.

Beauty.—S, pale silvery lilac; F, creamy white, with large orange blotch; extremely handsome. Ht. 26 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Jaune Supreme.—S, citron yellow; F, dark orange; very striking.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

King of the Whites.—S, pure white; F, pure white, with small orange blotch; a beautiful flower. Award of Merit, R.H.S. Ht. 20 in.

Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

La Grandesse.—S, creamy white; F, very pale lemon, large orange blotch.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Longfellow.—Porcelain blue, with white tips; very tall. Ht. 28 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Princess Ida.—S, white, with distinct primrose markings; F, canary yellow, with large orange blotch.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00



Thunderbolt.



Unique.

Raphael.—S, lavender blue, splashed; F, pale primrose, with large orange blotch; extremely handsome.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Souvenir.—S, china blue; F, pale lavender, dark yellow blotch.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Sweetheart.—S, pure white; F, pale primrose, orange blotch. Ht. 18 in.

Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Thunderbolt.—S, bronze purple; F, mahogany brown splashed orange blotch; strikingly handsome. We consider this the most beautiful variety grown.

Per doz., .60; per 100, 4.00

Unique.—S, violet blue; F, creamy white with small orange blotch. Award of Merit, R.H.S. Ht. 24 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Walter T. Ware.—S, very pale primrose; F, canary yellow, orange blotch; very handsome.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Other well-known varieties, which are also charming alike for conservatories, garden, or table decoration:—

British Queen.—S, pure white, slight mauve markings; F, creamy white, large orange blotch. Ht. 18 in.

Per doz., .15; per 100, 1.00; per 1,000, 8.50

Cajanus.—S, bright canary yellow; F, clear yellow, orange blotched. Ht. 26 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Chrysolora.—Pure clear yellow. Ht. 20 in.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Cornflower.—Bright blue; handsome and striking variety. Ht. 28 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Darling.—Dark distinct blue. Ht. 22 in.

Per doz., .15; per 100, 1.00; per 1,000, 8.50

Carters Royal Parks Mixed Spanish Iris

Carters Choice Mixed

Excelsior.—S, violet blue; F, lavender blue, orange blotch; distinct and splendid. Ht. 20 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Leander.—S, deep yellow; F, orange yellow; a very fine variety. Ht. 22 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Louise.—Pale lavender blue. Ht. 18 in.

Per doz., .15; per 100, 1.00; per 1,000, 8.50

Reconnaissance.—Bronze, distinctly effective. Ht. 20 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Per 100, .75; per 1,000, 7.00

Per 100, .50; per 1,000, 3.25

IXIA.

No species of bulbous flowering plants exhibits in one family such brilliant colouring as the *Ixia*, and for cut flowers it is invaluable.

Dry bulbs may be procured from September to December. They are quite miniature in size, and it seems remarkable that these mites should contain sufficient vigour to put forth a profusion of lovely blooms. If planted in a warm and sheltered spot out of doors in the autumn they may be expected to flower about June. Ht. from 16 in. to 2 ft. Their culture in pots is very easy, and they prefer a nice light sandy soil, and the pots should be stood in a cold frame until the roots have become active. Should they be placed later in the greenhouse to mature, they must have plenty of air or the flowers may be scanty.



Ixia Conqueror.



Ixia Favourite.

All mailed free.

Conqueror.—Bright yellow, heavily shaded orange scarlet.
Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Favourite.—Creamy white, magenta base, three outer segments shaded mauve ; beautiful large flower.
Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Barbara.—White, deeply shaded magenta, violet eye.
Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Crateroides.—Bright crimson, a very popular variety.
Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

Mozart.—Deep yellow, maroon base ; very effective.
Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Princess Alice.—White, with plum purple base.
Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Viridiflora.—A veritable green flower with black eye.
Per doz., .50 ; per 100, 3.25

Vulcan.—Bright orange red, dark base.
Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Wonder.—Double flower, soft rose, charming for decorative purposes. Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Finest Mixed.—Guernsey-grown, extra splendid mixture of best varieties.
Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Good Mixed. Per doz., .15 ; per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50

JONQUIL (or Rush-leaved Daffodil).

In all its forms is delightful in every collection of spring flowers where elegance, beauty, and delicious fragrance are the objects sought after. It is useful in a variety of ways just as the *Narcissus*, its near relation, is cultivated. The flowers are smaller, but they lose none of their great attractions on this account, either when grown in pots indoors or out in the open ground. The bulbs also being smaller, they require to be planted closer together than is recommended for the larger species.



Jonquils.

Campernel.

Campernel Double.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 5 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

Large Double.—A good variety, sweet scented. Ht. 16 in.
Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

Single Sweet Scented.—Large bulbs.
Per doz., .15 ; per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50

Campernel.—The original variety.
Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Campernel Improved (Odorus Rugulosos).—Sweet scented. Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Campernel Double.—Superb variety, sweet scented. Ht. 18 in. Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50 ; per 1,000, 30.00

LEUCOJUM.

The **SNOWFLAKE**, with its charming white drooping bells, should be much better known as a valuable addition to our early spring garden or on the grass. **L. VERNUM CARPATICUM** is an improved variety, and looks exquisite with its handsome white bells, just touched with a spot of green. The **L. ÆSTIVUM** comes into flower in June, and exhibits a very neat head with white blooms. These plants prefer a good sandy soil, but will grow in any ordinary compost. The bulbs are planted as soon as ready in autumn, about 2 in. deep and twice as far apart.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight given against each sort. Dozens mailed free.

Vernum (Spring Snowflake).—Weight 4 lb. per 100.
Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Vernum Carpaticum (Spring Snowflake).—Improved. Weight 4 lb. per 100.
Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

Æstivum (Summer Snowflake).—Weight 6 lb. per 100.
Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

Carters Tested Seeds of Choice Vegetables and Flowers for Fall sowing. See loose inset.

LILIES.

The time of planting Lilies ranges from September to March, but as every day Lilies are out of the ground they lose something of their strength, the earlier they can be procured and planted the better. A few inches of prepared soil over the crowns of the bulbs is useful in many ways. For the smaller varieties, plant in clumps, each bulb about 6 in. apart, leaving more space for the strong and larger species. The most striking mode of planting is in groups of three to nine bulbs in a mass.

The depth for planting different sorts of Lilies varies greatly—some species will not thrive unless planted deep. On an average, we like to plant Lilies about 6 in. below the surface, which gives stem roots a chance to assist those under the bulb. They should not be laid in a scooped-out hole, but on a level loosened-up bottom, with some nice friable soil to root into, either singly or in clumps of three to six, each bulb 9 in. or so apart, according to sort.

For general cultivation in pots, the Lily likes nice, rich, loamy soil. When the bulbs come to hand, they should be loosely plunged into some damp material, such as cocoanut fibre or ashes, and placed in a shady and cool spot for, say, a fortnight.

The bulbs will now be in fit condition to be placed in pots (one bulb in a 32-size). The pot should be half filled, and the bulb put into it, and as the stem grows more soil may be added until the pot is full, and not over-watered until growth appears.

The finest of all Lilies for pot culture, alike for beauty, infinite variety, fragrance, and easy culture, are *L. AURATUM* and *L. LANCIFOLIUM*. Lilies for forcing should be started any time from the end of January to September. Under ordinary conditions Lilies may be had in bloom from June to November.

LILIUM AURATUM, the Golden-rayed Lily of Japan, is one of the most magnificent varieties. It can be forced into flower early in the summer, is most attractive when grown in a natural way and allowed to bloom in August, whilst its elegant relation the Easter Lily is invaluable as a winter and spring decorative plant, and is very largely grown for Christmas and Easter festivals, where its immense trumpet flowers of snow-like purity are invaluable.



Lilium Candidum.



Easter Lily.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; the weights being given against each subject. Single bulbs mailed free.

The circumference is indicated in inches of many varieties of Lilies, as for instance:—10 to 11, 9 to 10, and so on.

LILIUM CANDIDUM.

The white Lily of English gardens, also known as the Madonna Lily, the Bourbon Lily, St. Joseph's Lily, and many other local names.

No other flower possesses such a record of historical associations as this white Lily, which in all ages has been deemed the emblem of purity and chastity. It is perfectly hardy, and thrives in almost any soil, preferably in beds and borders, where the bulb is not likely to be disturbed too often. Planted singly or in clumps in the autumn, from 4 to 6 in. deep, it will commence to grow almost at once, and throw up in the spring a strong stem clothed with leaves and headed in summer with a cluster of beautiful white blossoms, as shown above.

We recommend our customers to plant this variety early. Bulbs are ready beginning of September, and should be planted as soon as possible from that time onwards.

Enormous Bulbs.—11 and over. Weight 7 lb. per doz.
Each, .20; per doz., 2.00; per 100, 14.00

Large Bulbs.—10 to 11. Weight 5 lb. per doz.
Each, .15; per doz., 1.50; per 100, 10.00

CARTERS EASTER LILIES.

The chaste snow-white flowers supply a long-felt want for purposes of decoration. The flowers are produced in clusters on a stem varying from 2 to 4 ft. in height, and are exquisitely perfumed. They may be forced into bloom by Christmas.

Longiflorum Formosum.

Magnificent Bulbs. 9 to 10. Weight 5 lb. per doz.
Each, .20; per doz., 2.00; per 100, 14.00
Fine Bulbs. 8 to 10. Weight 4 lb. per doz.
Each, .15; per doz., 1.50; per 100, 10.00

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Mammoth Bulbs. 9 to 11. Weight 5 lb. per doz.
Each, .35; per doz., 3.50; per 100, 24.00
Large Bulbs. 7 to 9. Weight 4 lb. per doz.
Each, .20; per doz., 2.00; per 100, 14.00

Longiflorum Giganteum.

Mammoth Bulbs. 9 to 10. Weight 5 lb. per doz.
Each, .20; per doz., 2.00; per 100, 14.00
Fine Large Bulbs. 7 to 9. Weight 4 lb. per doz.
Each, .12; per doz., 1.20; per 100, 9.00

*Lilium Auratum.***CARTERS LILIAM AURATUM.***The beautiful Golden-rayed Lily of Japan.*

This grand Lily has now been brought to such a popular price that it should be largely grown in every garden. In soils suitable to its taste it will thrive in increased vigour each season in borders, and should be extensively cultivated in such spots. It can be seen in its full beauty in association with ornamental shrubs and bold-leaved herbaceous plants. It flowers rather later in summer than some of its relations.

We have again made arrangements for large consignments of this beautiful Lily to reach us direct from the growers, and are certain to handle the pick of the Japanese harvest.

All bulbs are carefully sorted by hand, and are examined personally before despatch.

Our consignments usually arrive from the middle of November onwards, and we book orders now for delivery as soon as the bulbs are to hand.

Fine Gigantic Bulbs.—11 to 13. Weight 7 lb. per doz.
Each, .30; per doz., 3.00; per 100, 20.00

Large Bulbs.—9 to 11. Weight 5 lb. per doz.
Each, .20; per doz., 2.00; per 100, 14.00

Good Flowering Bulbs.—8 to 9. Weight 3 lb. per doz.
Each, .15; per doz., 1.50; per 100, 10.00

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; the weights being given against each subject. Single bulbs mailed free.

The circumference is indicated in inches of many varieties of Lilies, as for instance:—10 to 11, 9 to 10, and so on.

*Lilium Speciosum Rubrum.***CARTERS LILIAM SPECIOSUM.**

Next to the LILIAM AURATUM we must place the LANCIFOLIUM or SPECIOSUM, so exquisite in form and so easily cultivated. Specimens frequently may be seen flowering on balconies in the large cities late in summer, and coming at a time of year when flowers are somewhat scarce makes it doubly welcome. It thrives well out in the border, and, with its pure chaste white, orange, crimson-spotted, and rose-spotted flowers, is very attractive.

Speciosum Album.—Splendid pure white. Ht. 3 ft. 9 to 11.
Weight 3 lb. per doz. Each, .30; per doz., 3.00; per 100, 20.00

Speciosum Roseum.—White, spotted light rose. Ht. 3 ft. 9 to 11. Weight 3 lb. per doz.

Each, .20; per doz., 2.00; per 100, 14.00

Speciosum Rubrum.—White ground, heavily spotted crimson. Ht. 3 ft. 9 to 11. Weight 4 lb. per doz.

Each, .20; per doz., 2.00; per 100, 14.00

Speciosum Album Krætzleri.—Finest pure white variety. Ht. 3 to 4 ft. 9 to 11. Weight 3 lb. per doz.

Each, .30; per doz., 3.00; per 100, 20.00

Speciosum Henryii.—The orange yellow *Speciosum*; soft orange yellow. Ht. 7 to 8 ft. 9 to 11. Weight 4 lb. per doz.

Each, .70; per doz., 7.00; per 100, 51.00

Speciosum Melpomene.—Very beautiful; spotted rich crimson. Ht. 3 ft. 9 to 11. Weight 4 lb. per doz.

Each, .25; per doz., 2.50; per 100, 16.00

Speciosum Magnificum.—Spotted dark crimson; a very fine variety, rather richer in colour than *Melpomene* and slightly earlier. Ht. 4 ft. 9 to 11. Weight 4 lb. per doz.

Each, .25; per doz., 2.50; per 100, 16.00

LILIES.—Continued.**LILIUMS IN VARIETY.**

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; the weights being given against each subject. Single bulbs mailed free.

Batemaniae.—Clear orange apricot. Weight 2 lb. per doz.
Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

Canadense (Canadian Lily).—Reddish orange to yellow, black spots. Weight 2 lb. per doz.
Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Croceum (Orange Lily).—Brilliant orange, spotted dark crimson, flowering in June. Ht. 3 to 4 ft. Weight 2 lb. per doz.
Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

Elegans Prince of Orange.—Orange, spotted black. Ht. 1½ ft. Weight 1 lb. per doz.
Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Elegans Atrosanguineum.—Dark crimson. Ht. 1½ ft. Weight 1 lb. per doz.
Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

Excelsum, or Testaceum.—Nankeen. Ht. 3 to 4 ft. Weight 2 lb. per doz.
Each, .50 ; per doz., 5.00 ; per 100, 35.00

Giganteum (The King of Lilies).—White, striped with crimson brown. Ht. 10 ft.
Mammoth Bulbs. Weight 2 lb. each.
Each, 1.50 ; per doz., 15.00

Large Bulbs. Weight about 1½ lb. each.
Each, 1.00 ; per doz., 10.00

Humboldti.—Of remarkable beauty, golden yellow, spotted crimson. Ht. 5 ft. Weight 3 lb. per doz.
Each, .60 ; per doz., 6.00

Japonicum Browni.—White, trumpet-shaped, outer petals tinged with brown. Ht. 3 ft. Weight 3 lb. per doz.
Each, .50 ; per doz., 5.00 ; per 100, 35.00

Krameri.—A charming soft pink trumpet variety ; very sweet smelling. Ht. 2½ to 3 ft.
Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

Martagon.—Purple Turk's Cap. Ht. 4 ft. Weight 1 lb. per doz.
Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

Martagon.—Yellow Turk's Cap. Ht. 4 ft. Weight 2 lb. per doz.
Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

Pardalinum.—Tall handsome variety, orange scarlet, spotted black ; extra strong. Ht. 5 to 6 ft. Weight 2 lb. per doz.
Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Superbum.—Rich orange, with dark spots. Ht. 4 to 5 ft.
Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Szovitzianum, or Colchicum.—The handsomest of all the yellow Lilies, citron yellow spotted. Ht. 3½ ft. Weight 3 lb. per doz.
Each, .30 ; per doz., 3.00 ; per 100, 20.00

Tenuifolium (Coral Lily).—A small, but very pretty and dainty variety, with orange scarlet flowers. Ht. 1½ to 2 ft.
Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Tigrinum Flore Pleno.—Rich orange scarlet, crimson spots ; very double. Ht. 3 to 4 ft. Weight 2 lb. per doz.
Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20 ; per 100, 9.00

Tigrinum Fortunii.—Bright orange scarlet, brown spotted. Ht. 4 to 5 ft. Weight 2 lb. per doz.
Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Tigrinum Splendens.—Rich orange scarlet, densely studded with bright crimson spots. Strong bulbs. Ht. 3 to 4 ft. Weight 2 lb. per doz.
Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20 ; per 100, 9.00

Umbellatum.—Varied shades of orange and orange scarlet. Ht. 2 to 3 ft. Weight 2 lb. per doz.
Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20 ; per 100, 9.00

LILY OF THE VALLEY.

A crown is the description given to a single rootlet. They are generally sold in bundles of 25, and are the best for pots and forcing. When throwing up blossoms grown in this manner, they are most serviceable in a number of ways for decorative purposes. A clump is a large conglomerated mass of roots that will throw up a quantity of flowering spikes, either forced or when planted out of doors. Clumps are preferred for a permanent bed in the garden.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight of crowns 2 lb. per bundle of 25, 6 lb. per 100 ; weight of clumps 5 lb. each.



Lily of the Valley.

Carters Finest Selected Crowns.—For forcing. In bundles of 25.

Per 25, .65 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

Good Flowering Crowns.

Per 25, .60 ; per 100, 2.25 ; per 1,000, 17.50

Imported Clumps.—Very fine. Each, .35 ; per doz., 3.50

RETARDED LILY OF THE VALLEY.

By availing ourselves of the modern method of cold storage we are enabled to supply forcing roots of this pretty decorative plant throughout the year. One advantage these retarded roots have over those handled in the ordinary way is the quick time in which the flowers are produced. We have seen dormant crowns put into heat and brought into beautiful bloom within three weeks, but we recommend from four to five weeks as the average time for a perfect flower spike.

We have made arrangements by which a continuous supply may be assured.

Giant Flowering Retarded Crowns FOR ALL SEASONS.

Per bundle of 25, .75 ; per 100, 3.00 ; per 1,000, 25.00

Carters Decorated Bowls are specially constructed for Room Gardening. See pages 3 and 34.



First Growth.
The Flower.

Second Growth.
Dormant Bulb.
Decorated Bowl.

MONARCH OF THE EAST.

(As originally named and offered by us.)

This remarkable plant exhibits one of those extraordinary traits in Nature that few are able to understand, for the magnificent flowers actually come out of the dry bulb without being placed in soil and water.

The flower sheath sometimes reaches a length of nearly 2 ft., is of a red-brown colour, tipped with red and yellow, whilst the inner parts of the flower are equally as brilliant. The bulb of this extraordinary plant needs only to be placed in some fancy receptacle, WITHOUT WATER, in a warm room, or on a mantelshelf, when, without showing either leaves or roots, the flower makes its appearance early in the year, thriving entirely upon the nourishment contained within the bulb.

Directly after the flower fades, and a growth appears to be coming from the bulb, it should be potted in a large pot in rich soil and freely watered. Later on an umbrella-shaped leaf will be formed on a stout stalk, spotted with a granite-like colour, and sometimes reaching a height of 3 ft.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight of bulbs, 1½ lb. each; weight of bulb and bowl, 3 lb. each.

Extra Strong Bulbs. Each, .20; per doz., 2.00

Decorated China Bowls, for placing these Bulbs in. Each, .20 and .30

ORNITHOGALUM.

Hardy bulbous plants, flowering in May and June.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight given against each sort.

Ornithogalum Arabicum.—White, black disc. Ht. 18 in. Weight 1½ lb. per doz. Per doz., .35; per 100, 2.25

Ornithogalum Umbellatum.—White. Ht. 12 in. Weight ½ lb. per doz. Per doz., .10; per 100, .75; per 1,000, 7.00

Ornithogalum Pyramidale (Giant Star of Bethlehem).—A very handsome variety, throwing large spikes of pure white flowers, very effective for borders. Ht. 2 ft. Weight 2 lb. per doz. Per doz., 1.00; per 100, 7.00

MONTBRETIA.

The Montbretias are very pretty tuberous-rooted flowering plants, bearing showy spikes of blossom during August. Very useful for cutting. They are easily grown in a sunny open border, or indoors in pots. When established in borders a wealth of spikes may be expected.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 3 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

Crocsmiaeflora.—Scarlet and orange shaded.

Per doz., .15; per 100, 1.00; per 1,000, 8.50

Eldorado.—Fine deep orange yellow.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Elegans.—Yellow and vermilion.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Etoile de Feu.—Vermilion, golden centre.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

George Davidson.—Golden yellow, fine handsome flower.

Per doz., .90; per 100, 6.00

Golden Sheaf, or Gerbe d'Or.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Lady Hamilton.—Distinct yellow, with golden centre; very effective variety, with erect habit. Award of Merit, R.H.S.

Each, .25; per doz., 2.50

Pottsii.—Scarlet.

Per doz., .15; per 100, 1.00; per 1,000, 8.50

Pyramidalis.—Apricot.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Rayon d'Or.—Golden yellow, shaded orange, crimson centre.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Rosea.—Soft pink, beautiful.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Mixed.—Containing a fine variety of colours.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

MUSCARI

(Grape and Feathered Hyacinths).

The Muscari are worthy of attention, as they differ so from any other flower. In habit they are dwarf, and appear most at home in sheltered banks or near the front of dry or warm borders. The HEAVENLY BLUE variety and BOTRYOIDES ALBA make a charming effect when planted in beds with Tulips and Narcissus. Plant 2 in. down, 2 in. apart.



Heavenly Blue.



Botryoides Alba.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 3 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

Plumosum Monstrosum.—The giant mauve-feathered Hyacinth. Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Heavenly Blue.—Very beautiful, sweet scented; fine for rockeries and borders.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Botryoides.—The blue Grape Hyacinth.

Per doz., .15; per 100, 1.00; per 1,000, 8.50

Botryoides Alba.—The white Grape Hyacinth.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

CARTERS KING ALFRED.**THE ARISTOCRAT OF THE DAFFODIL WORLD.**

**SPECIALLY
NOTE OUR
LOW PRICE
FOR THIS
BEAUTIFUL
DAFFODIL.**

*THE GREAT TRUMPET-FLOWERED DAFFODIL OF
THE SOUTH. Ht. 2 ft. FIRST CLASS CERTIFICATE,
ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY OF ENGLAND.*

FIRST CLASS CERTIFICATE, BOSTON, U.S.A.

FIRST PRIZE, NEW YORK, U.S.A., APRIL, 1913.

This magnificent Giant-flowered Trumpet Narcissus is without doubt unsurpassable for the size and beauty of its flower. Its height gives it a most stately appearance and places it far in advance of all other Trumpet varieties. Visitors to the Royal Horticultural Society's Spring Meetings at Vincent Square, London, will recall the many displays of this lovely flower associated with our Spring Gardens. The trumpet itself is a rich deep pure yellow (the colour of old gold); it is of great size and substance, and is exquisitely finished; the mouth is turned well back and is beautifully frilled.

The perianth is of the same rich yellow shade as the trumpet, very thick and strong, and magnificently formed, thus making a perfect setting for the immense trumpet which it carries. The foliage has a delicate glaucous tint, and is in perfect keeping with the general character of this truly unique Narcissus. The variety is an early one, flowering in a favourable season in March.

Carters King Alfred is the great Narcissus of the day; it is quite distinct, is a vigorous grower, thriving equally as well under glass as out of doors. To see a mass of these beautiful flowers on a spring morning gently swayed by the wind is indeed a sight not easy for

anyone to forget; the sun striking the blooms, and its golden rays reflected in the dew, give a bed of these charming flowers an appearance which may well be compared to a mass of diamonds glittering in a setting of burnished gold. Ht. 2 ft.

Each, .40; per doz., 4.00; per 100, 28.00.

*Carters
King Alfred.*

Messrs. Carters, Raynes Park, again presented a delightful spring display in the form of a raised border with a lawn in front, which was artistically enriched with Trumpet Daffodils. The background formed a shrubbery, with the Daffodils grouped at the base; these were arranged in masses, and included such varieties as Queen Alexandra, Sir Francis Drake, Minnie Hume, a charming variety for this purpose; King Alfred, remarkably good; and Argent. The exhibit was greatly admired.—*Journal of Horticulture*, April 15, 1915.



But the finest thing of all was the reproduction by Carters, Raynes Park, of a spring Daffodil Garden in the old English style. As a background there was a bank of evergreens, faced with rough stonework. Then on a strip of lawn, laid out in fine grass, were the Daffodils arranged like partners in two-steps, quadrilles, and Sir Roger de Coverley. All that was wanting to complete the picture was a breeze to set them dancing. That, however, happened close at hand in St. James's Park. Under the great plane trees the Daffodils were brightly dancing, even to the cold, nipping April wind.—*The Times*, April 14, 1915.

Carters King Alfred, in Vase, and centre of attraction in our Garden of Daffodils, Royal Horticultural Society's Hall, London, April, 1915. Awarded Silver Gilt Medal.

CARTERS TESTED SEEDS, Inc., 102-106 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG., BOSTON, MASS.

NARCISSUS AND DAFFODILS.

By careful selection the Narcissus and Daffodil may be had in bloom from February to May in the open ground, and to assist in this respect we have numbered each variety in accordance with the following list:—No. 1, late February to early March; No. 2, through March; No. 3, from middle of March to middle of April; No. 4, latter part of April; No. 5, early in May. Some allowance must be made for late planting or growth in ungenerous soils.

TRUMPET DAFFODILS, YELLOW AND SULPHUR COLOURED.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 2 lb. per doz., 12 lb. per 100. Single bulbs mailed free.



Beethoven.



Emperor.

Beethoven.—(3) This is one of the most distinct Daffodils, the long trumpet being deeply serrated at the mouth, with good bold perianth, and has a pleasing tone of soft golden yellow; recommended for bedding. Ht. 16 in.

Per doz., .55; per 100, 3.50; per 1,000, 30.00

Emperor.—(3) Trumpet yellow, primrose perianth; fine large handsome flower, very free bloomer. We have for several years strongly recommended this variety, and at the present time our sales are enormous. Splendid for pot culture, naturalising, and bedding. Ht. 20 in.

Mammoth bulbs—

Per doz., .50; per 100, 3.25; per 1,000, 27.50

Strong Flowering Bulbs—

Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00



Glory of Leiden.



Golden Spur.

Glory of Leiden.—(4) Large bold yellow trumpet, perianth rather paler, broad and overlapping; strong sturdy foliage. Ht. 16 in.

Each, 15.; per doz., 1.50; per 100, 10.00

Golden Spur.—(1) Trumpet and perianth rich deep yellow, fine handsome flower; early; one of the best varieties for pot work, and recommended for bedding and naturalising in grass. Ht. 18 in.

Mammoth Bulbs—

Per doz., .55; per 100, 3.50; per 1,000, 30.00

Strong Flowering Bulbs—

Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00

Single Bulbs except where otherwise noted, .05 each.

CARTERS TESTED SEEDS, Inc., 102-106 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG., BOSTON, MASS.

Conqueror.—Very large variety; long perianths, large wide expanded yellow trumpet; tall strong grower; valuable for either forcing or bedding.

Each, .10; per doz., 1.00; per 100, 7.50

Henry Irving.—(1) Yellow trumpet, and broad rounded yellow perianth; early; good for forcing and bedding. Ht. 18 in. Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00

King Alfred.—(2) The aristocrat of the Daffodil World. The great trumpet-flowered Daffodil of the South. Ht. 2 ft. First-class certificate Royal Horticultural Society of England; first-class certificate Boston, U.S.A.; first prize New York, U.S.A. (see page 27 for full description).

Each, .40; per doz., 4.00; per 100, 28.00

Maximus.—(2) Deep golden yellow trumpet and perianth, large handsome flower; good for pots and borders, but rather shy bloomer. Ht. 18 in.

Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00



Queen of Spain.



Sir Francis Drake.

Queen of Spain.—(2) Sulphur trumpet and perianth, which is very reflexed; distinct and charming habit. This is one of the most beautiful varieties for either pots, bedding, or naturalising in grass. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., 1.00; per 100, 7.00

Rugilobus.—(3) Trumpet golden yellow, with pale yellow perianth; an old variety almost discarded in favour of *Emperor*. Ht. 16 in.

Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Sir Francis Drake.—(2) An exceedingly early and robust-growing variety raised by the same grower as our celebrated *King Alfred* and quite distinct in character; in colour similar to *Emperor*, but rather deeper; refined and beautiful in form, with splendid broad green foliage. Ht. 24 in.

Each, .35; per doz., 3.50; per 100, 24.00

WHITE VARIETIES.

Madame de Graaff.—(4) Trumpet pale primrose passing to white, long and beautifully frilled at mouth; broad white perianth; an exquisite variety for pots and bowls, and favourite at shows. Awarded F.C.C., R.H.S. Ht. 16 in.

Each, .12; per doz., 1.20; per 100, 9.00

Moschatus.—(1) A very graceful variety, dwarf in habit; trumpet and perianth pale primrose passing to white; good for pots and for naturalising in grass. Ht. 7 in. Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00

TRUMPET DAFFODILS—Continued.
BI-COLOURED VARIETIES.



Empress.



Madame Plomp.

Empress.—(3) Trumpet rich yellow, perianth white; a strong grower and free bloomer, large flower and handsome foliage; splendid for bedding, pots, and naturalising in grass. Ht. 18 in.

Mammoth Bulbs. Per doz., .55; per 100, 3.50; per 1,000, 30.00
 Strong Bulbs. " 40; " 2.50; " 20.00

Madame Plomp.—(4) Golden yellow trumpet, very long; large white perianth, rather twisted; fine bold flower; a splendid variety, strong broad foliage. Ht. 15 in.

Per doz., .50; per 100, 3.25; per 1,000, 27.50

Grandis (Grandee).—(5) Large yellow straight trumpet, pure white perianth; flowers of fine substance and good for cutting; late flowering. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Horsfieldi.—(2) Perianth pure white, rich yellow trumpet of good shape; early variety; splendid for all purposes. Ht. 15 in. Per doz., .35; per 100, 2.25; per 1,000, 17.50

Carters Finest Mixed Trumpet Daffodils.—A grand mixture of all leading trumpet varieties.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Division II.—INCOMPARABILIS.

Medium Crowned or Star-shaped.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 2 lb. per doz., 10 lb. per 100. Single bulbs mailed free.



C. J. Backhouse.



Dairymaid.

C. J. Backhouse.—(3) Bright yellow perianth, cup orange scarlet, an attractive variety; good for pot and bowl culture. Ht. 18 in.

Per doz., .50; per 100, 3.25; per 1,000, 27.50

Dairymaid.—(4) Cup pale lemon, perianth pure white, medium-sized flower of good substance; splendid for bedding and planting in grass, but not recommended for pots. Ht. 15 in. Each, .10; per doz., .75; per 100, 5.00

Single Bulbs, except where otherwise noted, .05 each.



Vanilla Scented.



Victoria.

Vanilla Scented.—(3) Large bold expanded trumpet, long narrow spreading perianth of creamy yellow; handsome strong-growing variety, very free flowering, possessing the added charm of a most pleasing and delicate odour. Ht. 18 in.

Each, .10; per doz., .90; per 100, 6.00

Victoria.—(3) Trumpet clear yellow, very large and broad at mouth, perianth creamy white, wide and overlapping; very bold and erect flower; splendid for bedding and pot work, and one of the best for bowl culture. Ht. 18 in.

Per doz., .60; per 100, 4.00; per 1,000, 35.00

Princeps.—(1) Yellow trumpet, light sulphur coloured perianth; recommended for naturalising. Ht. 15 in.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Princeps Maximus.—(1) A greatly improved form of *Princeps*, flowers larger and of greater substance; good for bedding and naturalising. Ht. 15 in.

Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Cynosure.—(3) Creamy white perianth, orange cup, good sized flower; an extremely useful variety at a low figure; fine for naturalising. Ht. 18 in.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Figaro.—(3) Perianth pale yellow, with deep yellow crown; useful variety for borders and naturalising. Ht. 16 in. Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Gloria Mundi.—(4) Broad yellow perianth, orange-scarlet cup, a fine formed and beautiful variety; highly recommended for either pot work or garden culture. F.C.C., R.H.S. Ht. 18 in. Each, .15; per doz., 1.50; per 100, 11.00

Hall Caine.—Long yellow perianth, rather narrow cup of good deep colour; well balanced pleasing flower.

Each, .10; per doz., .90; per 100, 6.00

Lady Margaret Boscawen.—(4) Broad white perianth, cup golden yellow, well expanded; very large-flowered variety; extremely handsome, splendid for pots. F.C.C., R.H.S. Ht. 18 in. Each, .60; per doz., 6.00

Leonie.—(3) Large primrose perianth, open cup slightly deeper in colour; free bloomer, good for cutting. Ht. 20 in.

Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00

NARCISSUS AND DAFFODILS—Continued.**Division II.—INCOMPARABILIS—Continued.**

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 2 lb. per doz., 12 lb. per 100. Single bulbs mailed free.

*Sir Watkin.**Stella Superba.*

Lucifer.—(3) Large white perianth, cup fiery orange red ; a strong grower and free bloomer. Ht. 18 in.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 11.50

Queen Bess.—(2) Spreading pale yellow cup, pure white perianth ; good early variety ; fine for naturalising. Ht. 16 in. Per doz., .35 ; per 100, 2.25 ; per 1,000, 17.50

Sir Watkin.—(3) The Giant Welsh Daffodil. Wide sulphur perianth with deep yellow cup ; one of the best known varieties grown. We specially recommend for growing in pots, beds, and borders, and also for naturalising in grass ; extremely free flowering ; one of the best for bowl culture. Ht. 22 in.

Mammoth Bulbs. Weight 15 lb. per 100.

Per doz., .50 ; per 100, 3.25 ; per 1,000, 27.50

Strong Flowering Bulbs. Weight 12 lb. per 100.

Per doz., .35 ; per 100, 2.25 ; per 1,000, 17.50

Stella Superba.—(3) Perianth white, cup rich yellow ; large, showy, and well-expanded flower ; free bloomer for all purposes. Height 21 in.

Per doz., .60 ; per 100, 4.00 ; per 1,000, 35.00

Stella.—(3) Perianth white with yellow cup ; good for naturalising. Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Whitewell.—(3) Creamy white perianth, very broad and overlapping ; deep yellow cup, much expanded ; large bold flower ; strong grower. This grand variety is undoubtedly one of the finest Narcissus ever raised, and no collection is complete without it. At all the leading Spring Shows it was a prominent feature. Each, 1.00

Division III.—BARRI.*Barbara Holmes.**Dazzler.**Carters New Narcissus.**Queen Alexandra.**Conspicuous.*

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 2 lb. per doz., 12 lb. per 100. Single bulbs mailed free.

Barbara Holmes (Lady Godiva).—(4) White perianth, yellow cup, edged orange red ; an extremely pretty variety, recommended for either pot or bowl culture. Ht. 18 in. Per doz., .60 ; per 100, 4.00

Blood Orange.—Pale sulphur perianth, rather overlapping ; cup of deeper yellow, fluted at edge ; extremely taking flower. Each, .10 ; per doz., .90 ; per 100, 6.00

Carters New Narcissus, Dazzler.—(4) Creamy white perianth with very large and bold orange-red eye ; specially recommended for pot culture. Ht. 14 in.

Each, .25 ; per doz., 2.50

Carters New Narcissus, Queen Alexandra.—(4) White perianth, deep orange cup ; splendid show variety, good for pots and borders ; one of the best in this section. Ht. 16 in. Each, .40 ; per doz., 4.00

Conspicuous.—(4) Soft yellow perianth, with well-marked scarlet-edged cup ; one of the best known varieties in cultivation and extremely popular. Although

one of the cheapest Narcissus it is very beautiful, and is confidently recommended for pots, borders, or for naturalising ; free flowering. Ht. 18 in.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Firebrand.—(3) Creamy white perianth with soft lemon shading round base of cup, which is of a brilliant fiery scarlet. This is a very attractive variety, good for pot culture. Ht. 16 in.

Each, .10 ; per doz., .75 ; per 100, 5.00

Glitter.—Deep yellow perianth, broad, good well formed cup, edged orange-red ; fine showy variety.

Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50

Oriflamme.—(4) Perianth creamy white, yellow cup, edged orange scarlet. Ht. 15 in.

Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.20 ; per 100, 9.00

Seagull.—(4) Pure white perianth, canary yellow cup with apricot edge ; a strong-growing variety ; fine showy variety for pots and border culture, also good for bowls. Ht. 20 in. Per doz., .50 ; per 100, 3.25 ; per 1,000, 27.50

Single Bulbs, except where otherwise noted, .05 each.

CARTERS TESTED SEEDS, Inc., 102-106 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG., BOSTON, MASS.

NARCISSUS AND DAFFODILS.—Continued.**Division IV.—LEEDSII.**

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 2 lb. per doz., 12 lb. per 100. Single bulbs mailed free.



Mrs. Gamp.



Minnie Hume.

Carters New Narcissus, Mrs. Gamp.—(4) This extremely handsome flower belongs to the new type of Giant Leedsii. Large expanded cup and perianth of pale primrose passing to creamy white ; specially recommended for either forcing, in pots, beds, or borders, or for naturalising. We hold the entire stock of this splendid decorative variety. Ht. 15 in.

Each, .25 ; per doz., 2.50

Beatrice.—(2) Pure white perianth, cup pale primrose, on opening changing to white ; flower of good substance. Ht. 15 in. Each, .10 ; per doz., .65 ; per 100, 4.25

Duchess de Brabant.—(3) Perianth white, with creamy yellow cup ; good for naturalising. Ht. 14 in.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Carters "Seedlings."—We have acquired from one of the best raisers of Narcissus a large quantity of Seedling varieties, which we now offer as a superb mixture. We were greatly struck by the very large number of beautiful new varieties, and feel sure our customers will take pleasure in staking and saving some of these extremely handsome sorts, which may become of great value. We offer this grand mixture at the following low price :—Per doz., .60 ; per 100, 4.00 ; per 1,000, 35.00

Mixed Medium Cup Varieties.—A splendid assortment of all varieties, excluding Trumpet.

Per doz., .15 ; per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50

POETICUS (AND OTHER VARIETIES).

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 1 lb. per doz., 6 lb. per 100. Single bulbs mailed free.



Carters Early Flowering Poets.

Burbidgei.—(5) Perianth white, small pale yellow cup, edged scarlet ; good for naturalising in grass. Ht. 14 in.

Per doz., .15 ; per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50

Carters Pale Face (Poeticus).—(5) Bold overlapping stout perianth, large eye with orange-scarlet rim ; without doubt one of the finest in this section. The entire stock of this beautiful variety is held by our house.

Each, .40 ; per doz., 4.00

Carters Early Flowering Poets.—(4) Superb early variety, pure white perianth, scarlet-edged eye ; strongly recommended for either forcing, planting in grass, or borders. Ht. 15 in.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Single Bulbs, except where otherwise noted, .05 each.

Duchess of Westminster.—(3) Pure white perianth, long cup of canary yellow changing to creamy white ; a large and handsome flower ; strongly recommended for pots, borders, or naturalising in grass. F.C.C., R.H.S. Ht. 18 in. Each, .12 ; per doz., 1.25 ; per 100, 9.00

Evangeline.—(4) Pure white solid perianth, overlapping ; large and open cup of soft lemon. This is strongly recommended as being one of the very best Leedsii varieties. Splendid for pots and strong grower. A.M., R.H.S. Ht. 20 in. Each, .30 ; per doz., 3.00

Katherine Spurrell.—Broad white perianth, pale canary cup ; very attractive and lasting flower.

Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50

Minnie Hume.—(3) White perianth, with large spreading lemon cup, changing to white ; a really good and free-blooming variety. Ht. 15 in.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Mrs. Langtry.—(3) Perianth pure white, well-formed primrose cup, changing to white ; a really beautiful flower, strong grower ; highly recommended for naturalising in grass. F.C.C., R.H.S. Ht. 18 in.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

Sir Edward Carson.—(4) Long white spreading perianth, broad open cup, flushed orange ; extremely handsome, well-formed flower ; recommended for pots, grand for cutting.

Each, .40 ; per doz., 4.50

White Lady.—(4) Broad white perianth segments and a pretty frilled cup of palest lemon ; a most handsome and strong-growing variety, grand for pot work and bedding purposes. Ht. 20 in.

Each, .10 ; per doz., .90 ; per 100, 6.50

Glory of Lisse.—Pure white perianth, fine orange crimson margined eye ; splendid large flower and strong grower.

Each, .10 ; per doz., .75 ; per 100, 5.00

King Edward VII (Poeticus).—(5) Large showy flower of good substance ; bold eye edged carmine red. Ht. 16 in.

Per doz., .60 ; per 100, 4.00 ; per 1,000, 35.00

Lady of the Lake (Poeticus).—(5) Broad overlapping perianth segments, orange-scarlet eye ; fine showy variety. Ht. 16 in. Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Ornatus (Poeticus).—(4) Perianth pure white, eye edged orange scarlet ; one of the best known and most reliable varieties in this section ; good-forcer and fine for planting in grass. Ht. 14 in.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Pheasant Eye (Poeticus Recurvus).—(5) Reflexed pure white perianth, eye edged orange scarlet ; well known for its sweet perfume, extremely free blooming, good for naturalising in grass and for cutting. Ht. 15 in.

Per doz., .15 ; per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50

Poetarum (Poeticus).—(5) Pure white perianth, orange-scarlet eye ; fine large showy flower. Ht. 15 in.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

NARCISSUS AND DAFFODILS—Continued.**POETAZ NARCISSUS.**

A new and distinct race of Narcissus, being the result of crossing Poeticus with selected varieties of Narcissus Polyanthus; they have the robust habit of the Polyanthus, bearing trusses of fine, large, and sweet-scented flowers, and combining the hardiness of the Poeticus Ornatus. They will force splendidly, and for bedding and cutting are unequalled.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 1 lb. per doz., 8 lb. per 100. Single bulbs mailed free.



Carters Poetaz White.

Carters Poetaz White.—(4) Pure white perianth, with pale yellow cup; sweet-scented. Ht. 22 in.
Per doz., .45; per 100, 3.00; per 1,000, 25.00

Carters Poetaz Canary.—(4) Perianth pale yellow, orange cup; bears large trusses; handsome variety. Ht. 22 in.
Per doz., .60; per 100, 4.00; per 1,000, 35.00

Aspasia.—(4) Pure white perianth, golden yellow cup; fine, large, well-formed flowers, three to five on truss. Ht. 24 in.

Per doz., .35; per 100, 2.25; per 1,000, 17.50

Elvira.—(4) Perianth pure white, yellow cup; good-sized flowers of from three to four on truss; very sweet scented. Ht. 21 in. Per doz., .35; per 100, 2.25; per 1,000, 17.50

Ideal.—(4) Pure white perianth, bright orange cup; large truss of six to seven flowers on stem; extremely handsome variety. Ht. 20 in.

Per doz., .75; per 100, 5.00; per 1,000, 45.00

Irene.—(4) Perianth pale sulphur yellow, cup of golden yellow; seven to eight flowers on a stem; good showy variety. Ht. 21 in.

Per doz., .55; per 100, 3.50; per 1,000, 30.00

Jaune à Merveille.—(4) Pale yellow perianth, bright golden cup; a grand and striking variety; large bold truss of six to seven flowers. Ht. 22 in.

Each, .20; per doz., 2.00; per 100, 14.00

Triumph.—(4) Pure white perianth, deep yellow cup; three to four large, bold flowers of splendid substance, borne on truss about 18 in. in height.

Per doz., .75; per 100, 5.00; per 1,000, 45.00

Carters Choice Mixed.—(4) Splendid assortment from foregoing varieties.

Per doz., .45; per 100, 3.00; per 1,000, 25.00

POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 2 lb. per doz., 16 lb. per 100. Single bulbs mailed free.



Bazelman Major.

Bazelman Major.—(4) White, deep yellow cup; most handsome variety, having large flowers of splendid substance.
Per doz., .75; per 100, 5.00; per 1,000, 45.00

Double Roman.—(3) White perianth, double orange cup, very early forcing variety. Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Grand Monarque.—(4) White perianth, primrose yellow cup; good showy flower. We send out very large bulbs of this variety.
Per doz., .50; per 100, 3.25; per 1,000, 27.50

Grand Soleil d'Or.—(4) Deep yellow perianth, orange cup; very early and effective forcing variety.

Per doz., .50; per 100, 3.25; per 1,000, 27.50

Jaune Supreme.—(4) Deep primrose perianth, orange cup; good showy variety.

Per doz., .60; per 100, 4.00; per 1,000, 35.00

Maestro.—(4) White, orange cup; splendid flower of good substance, often with double cup.

Per doz., .70; per 100, 4.50; per 1,000, 40.00

Chinese Sacred Narcissus or Lily.—First imported by our house from the East, and the forerunner of flowers cultivated in bowls. Known as the Sacred Lily of the Chinese. The bulbs are very large, and throw up several spikes or clusters of large perfect waxy-white blossoms with yellow centres, exquisitely perfumed. See page 34 for their special culture in bowls.

Per basket containing 30 bulbs, 2.00; each, .10; per doz., 1.00; per 100, 6.50

Single Bulbs, except where otherwise noted, .07 each.

Mont Cenis.—(4) White perianth, pure yellow cup; large handsome flowers borne on good trusses; good for early pot work.
Per doz., .60; per 100, 4.00; per 1,000, 35.00

Paper White Grandiflora.—(3) Improvement on *Paper White*; magnificent flowers, splendid for forcing.
Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00

Paper White.—(4) Pure white variety, good for early forcing.
Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Queen of the Netherlands.—(4) White perianth, gold cup, good shapely truss.

Per doz., .55; per 100, 3.50; per 1,000, 30.00

Scilly Isles White.—(4) White perianth; creamy white cup; recommended as an early forcing variety.

Per doz., .35; per 100, 2.25; per 1,000, 17.50

Scilly Isles Yellow.—(4) Yellow perianth with deeper cup; good for forcing; early.

Per doz., .45; per 100, 3.00; per 1,000, 25.00

Mixed.—A good assortment from foregoing varieties.

Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00



Paper White Grandiflora.

DOUBLE NARCISSUS.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 2 lb. per doz., 10 lb. per 100. Single bulbs mailed free.



Argent.

Alba Plena Odorata (Double White Poeticus).—(5) The well-known sweetly scented double variety; very late bloomer, much prized for cutting.

Per doz., .15; per 100, 1.00; per 1,000, 8.50

Argent.—(3) A striking and beautiful semi-double variety with very effective creamy white segments and yellow centre; extremely handsome flower, greatly admired at all the Spring Daffodil shows; recommended for borders and splendid for cutting. Ht. 16 in.

Per doz., .60; per 100, 4.00; per 1,000, 35.00

Double Incomparable (Butter and Eggs).—(3) Rich yellow, orange coloured at centre; good for borders or for naturalising. Ht. 16 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Golden Phoenix.—(3) Rich yellow, fine large flower; very double and of good shape; effective for border work. Ht. 16 in. Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Single Bulbs, except where otherwise noted, 0.5 each.

Orange Phoenix (Eggs and Bacon).—(3) White, orange-red centre, fine large double variety, effective for vase decoration. Ht. 18 in.

Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Silver Phoenix (Coddins and Cream).—(3) Silvery white, pale sulphur at centre; extremely handsome and shapely flower, splendid for cutting. Ht. 18 in.

Per doz., .35; per 100, 2.25; per 1,000, 17.50

Sweet-scented Gardenia Flowered.—(5) Double white, large flower, closely resembling a Gardenia; this variety thrives best in rich, deep, loamy soil; will not force. Ht. 17 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Van Sion, or Double Daffodil.—(3) We offer a splendid stock of true Double Trumpet Daffodils, deep golden yellow, large flowers; recommended for forcing and for bedding and borders. Ht. 18 in.

Mammoth Bulbs. Per doz., .50; per 100, 3.25; per 1,000, 27.50
Strong Bulbs. „ .40; „ 2.50; „ 20.00



Van Sion.

CARTERS SPECIAL COLLECTION OF NARCISSUS AND DAFFODILS.

Price 12.00.

By Express only.

50 Sir Watkin.	25 Poetaz, Aspasia.	50 Maximus.	50 Golden Phoenix.	50 Gardenia Flowered.
50 Double Daffodils.	25 Poetaz, Irene.	50 Figaro.	50 Poeticus Ornatus.	50 Minnie Hume.
50 Emperor.	50 Stella.	50 Silver Phoenix.	50 Odorus Rugulos.	50 Barri Conspicuous.
50 Empress.	50 Cynosure.	50 Orange Phoenix.	50 Victoria.	50 Duchesse de Brabant.
50 Golden Spur.				

Half the above Special Collection of Narcissus and Daffodils for 6.50. By Express only.

These Collections are subject to slight alteration as the season advances, but number and value will be strictly adhered to.



Carters Narcissus Garden awarded the **GOLD MEDAL**, Royal Horticultural Society's Daffodil Show.

ROOM GARDENING.

*White Hyacinths.**Narcissus, Sir Watkin.**Narcissus, Madame Plomp.**Tulip, Marechal Niel.*

This mode of room decoration was introduced by us some years since, when we offered the bulbs planted with shingle in gaily decorated Japanese bowls. Continued experiments have enabled us to extend our list of successful subjects, and *the bulbs are quoted at prices planted in beautifully finished artistic green glazed and other bowls.* Instead of employing shingle for the rooting material now we use a specially prepared fibre, which we find very suitable, being cleanly, light, and quite odourless. When our materials are used the following hints on cultivation should be followed. We send out the bulbs ready planted in the bowls, but in cases where customers prefer to use their own bowls, the bulbs should be planted as follows:—Sprinkle fibre, which should be thoroughly moistened, over the bottom of the bowl to a depth of $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches, carefully place the bulbs upon the fibre, taking care that they do not touch each other, then fill up the bowl with fibre. Although it is desirable that the fibre should be all around the bulbs, it must not be packed too tightly, and must cover the top of the bulbs.

Start the bulbs into growth by thoroughly saturating the fibre with water, drain off and keep moist; then place the bowl in an airy room or shelf in a subdued light. When the young growth pierces the fibre, the bulbs may be placed on a table near a window or some other light place to mature their growth and come into flower.

LIST OF SUITABLE BULBS FOR ROOM GARDENING.

Start.	Bloom in	NAME.	Description.	No. of bulbs in small bowl.	Price.	No. of bulbs in medium bowl.	Price.	No. of bulbs in large bowl.	Price.
Sept. & Oct.	Dec. & Jan. ...	Hyacinths, White Roman ...	White	3	\$ cts. 1.25	6	\$ cts. 1.75	9	\$ cts. 2.25
Sept. to Dec.	Mar. to April	Hyacinths (ordinary)	All colours						
Sept. to Dec.	Jan. to Mar. ...	Narcissus, Paper White Grandiflora	White, bunch flowered						
Sept. to Dec.	Mar. to Ap.	Narcissus, Golden Spur ...	Trumpet single ...	3	1.00	6	1.25	9	1.50
		Narcissus, Emperor	Primrose colour ...						
		Narcissus, Victoria	Trumpet single ...						
		Narcissus, Sir Watkin ...	Giant Welsh						
		Daffodil, Double	Golden						
		Narcissus, Madame Plomp	Bicolor trumpet ...						
		Narcissus, Empress	Bicolor trumpet ...						
		Narcissus, Henry Irving ...	Deep yellow trumpet	6	1.25	9	1.75	12	2.25
		Narcissus, Queen of Spain...	Sulphur yellow trumpet						
		Narcissus, Poetaz	Carters White						
		Narcissus, Poetaz	Carters Canary	3	1.75	5	2.00	7	2.25
Oct. to Dec.	Jan. to Mar. ...	*Narcissus, Chinese Sacred	White and yellow	1	1.00	2	1.25	3	1.50
Sept. to Dec.	Mar. to April	Tulips	In suitable variety	6	1.00	9	1.25	12	1.50
Sept. & Oct.	Jan. to Mar. ...	Crocus	Carters Giant, in colours	9	1.00	12	1.25	15	1.50
Sept. to Nov.	Mar. to April	Fritillaria	Alba	9	1.00	12	1.25	18	1.50

* These bulbs are very large, and produce several flower spikes.

See terms of business, page 48, for accidents in transit and delivery of goods.

CARTERS PREPARED MATERIALS.

Buyer pays transit charges on all Potting Materials.

Carters Prepared Carbonated Fibre. Peck bag (7 lb.), .40 ;
½ bushel (14 lb.), .65 ; bushel (28 lb.), 1.00

Carters Prepared Bulb Compost, for ordinary pot culture.
Bag (70 lb.), .75 ; 3-bushel sack (200 lb.), 2.00

Nut Charcoal. Bags (1 lb.) .25 and (2 lb.) .50 ; bushel (15 lb.) 1.00

Fresh Green Moss Doz. bundles, .35

Sphagnum Moss, Peat, Loam, Leaf-mould, Sand, &c.,
can also be supplied.

OXALIS.

These are extremely pretty decorative subjects for pot or hanging basket culture, both foliage and flowers being extremely attractive.

All mailed free.

Bowellii.—Bright rose-crimson, fine large flower.

Per doz., .50; per 100, 2.50

Bermuda Buttercup.—This beautiful variety is now prime favourite; is of strong free growing habit, and, as its name implies, of a rich Buttercup yellow colour.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50

Lutea.—Showy yellow ... Per doz., .50; per 100, 2.50

Grandiflora Alba.—Fine white variety.

Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.00

Rosea.—Rose pink ...

Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.00

RANUNCULUS.

This beautiful early summer border plant belongs to the buttercup family. The types now popular in the class under consideration would, from their gay appearance both in form and colour, be hardly recognised as a relation to this modest denizen of the field. The cultural directions are practically the same as advised for Anemones.

All mailed free.

Carters Cockade.—In a splendid variety of colours, immense double flowers. Is fitting in all respects to be cultivated by the side of the *Empress Poppy* Anemone, and equally superior with that variety to any other class of Ranunculus. The flowers are double, of immense size, and combine every possible shade of colour peculiar to this interesting and easily-cultivated flower. It is impossible to over-estimate their value to all lovers of hardy border flowers.

Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Double Persian Ranunculus, Mixed.—A very pretty flower when well grown.

Per doz., .15; per 100, 1.00; per 1,000, 8.50

Fine Mixed Turban Ranunculus (Dutch).—All varieties.

Per doz., .15; per 100, 1.00; per 1,000, 8.50

Finest Mixed Turban Ranunculus (Guernsey-grown).—Very superior to above.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

SCILLAS.

Scillas are of easy cultivation, and will thrive almost anywhere. Perhaps the best-known garden variety is the beautiful blue Siberian Scilla, which flowers early in the year in any position in the open ground. The white *SIBERICA ALBA* and *CAMPANULATA ALBA* are both varieties which should be more widely known.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight given against each sort. Dozens mailed free.

Siberica (The Siberian Squill).—Rich blue, largely planted for naturalisation in the Royal Parks. Ht. 3 to 4 in. Extra large hulbs. Weight 1 lb. per 100.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Siberica Alba.—Pure white, a charming flower. A fitting companion, planted alternately with *Siberica*, or say two blue and one white. Ht. 3 in. Weight 1 lb. per 100.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Campanulata Carnea.—Rose coloured. Ht. 12 in. Weight 3 lb. per 100.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Campanulata Alba.—Pure white. Ht. 12 in. Weight 4 lb. per 100.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Campanulata Blue.—True. Ht. 14 in. Weight 4 lb. per 100.

Per doz., .15; per 100, 1.00; per 1,000, 8.50

Nutans.—Bluebells (Wood Hyacinth). Ht. 12 in. Weight 4 lb. per 100.

Per doz., .15; per 100, 1.00; per 1,000, 8.50

Excelsior.—Handsome variety, lavender blue striped, bells large, broad foliage. Height 16 in. Weight 6 lb. per 100.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00



Carters Cockade Ranunculus.



Scilla Campanulata Alba.

SNOWDROPS.



The Snowdrop will be found to thrive best in shady banks or moist nooks, and the best plan to adopt is to assign to it a situation as nearly as possible akin to its nature as can be. The bulbs may be planted almost close together and not less than 3 in. deep.

All mailed free.

Single Snowdrop (*Galanthus Nivalis*).—Extra large bulbs. Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Good bulbs. Per doz., .15 ; per 100, 1.00 ; per 1,000, 8.50

Carters True Double Snowdrop.—These have been cultivated especially for us, and can be relied on to produce true double flowers. Large bulbs.

Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

Photograph of Snowdrops in Clump.

SPIRÆA.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates ; weight 2 lb. per clump or 18 lb. per dozen.

These embrace a large number of species, varying from shrubby bushes to small herbaceous plants. It is with the latter that we are just now most concerned—such as are used in the winter and spring decoration of rooms and conservatories. The dormant roots are supplied in clumps, which are placed singly into 6-in. pots or a size larger if necessary. If given plenty of water as soon as they commence to grow, and kept in heat, they will become effective very quickly.

Two charming varieties.

Queen Alexandra (top Photograph).—Produces long feathery plumes of bright pink flowers, and together with *Peach Blossom*, has been greatly admired at various Royal Horticultural and other shows. Large dormant roots.

Each, .25 ; per doz., 2.50 ; per 100, 16.00

Peach Blossom.—Produces flowers of a lighter shade of pink than *Queen Alexandra*, but from their delicacy of colouring when in bloom we are confident that these two charming Spiræas will be extensively used for house and table decoration. Large dormant roots.

Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

Astilboides Floribunda.—An improved form ; very free flowering. Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

Avalanche.—A very fine new variety bearing large trusses of pure white flowers. Strongly recommended.

Each, .30 ; per doz., 3.00 ; per 100, 20.00

Gladstone (bottom right-hand Photograph).—Grand free-flowering white variety ; bearing large trusses of bloom.

Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

Japonica.—Extra strong clumps for forcing or borders ; valuable for table decoration.

Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

Rubens.—A new variety of great merit ; colour, carmine rose ; free flowering and excellent for forcing.

Each, .50 ; per doz., 5.00 ; per 100, 35.00

Snowdrift (bottom left-hand Photograph).—Produces in profusion a mass of elegant feathery white blossoms of the greatest value for decorative purposes at any season, according to the method of cultivation, from Christmas to Midsummer. The roots are supplied in large dormant clumps.

Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00



Snowdrift. *Queen Alexandra.* *Gladstone.*

TRITELEIA.

Are exceedingly pretty in a spring border, where they should be permitted to remain and produce their blossoms. The flowers are star-shaped, and can be forced. Also equally suitable for rockwork. Ht. 6 in.

Uniflora.—Pretty star-shaped white flower. *Mailed free.*
Per doz., .12 ; per 100, .90 ; per 1,000, 8.00

Violacea.—Porcelain blue. *Mailed free.*

Per doz., .12 ; per 100, .90 ; per 1,000, 8.00

TULIPS.

For our customers' guidance when making a selection of Tulips, we have numbered each variety in their order of flowering (No. 1 blooming first), so that by a careful selection a nice succession of blooms may be obtained, or, on the other hand, a grand display may be ensured by choosing only those varieties with the same number. For beautiful colour effects we refer our readers to page 41 for our Royal Parks Selection of Single varieties, and for the Royal Parks Double varieties. These are selected for simultaneous flowering in each section, the Doubles being a week or so later than the Singles.



ONE OF CARTERS SPRING GARDEN EXHIBITS IN THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S HALL, VINCENT SQUARE,

Formed with Carters Tulips, Hyacinths, Crocus, and other Bulbous Flowers in association with Carters Lawn Grass.

Carters Garden of Darwin Tulips (pages 43-45) in the Royal Horticultural Society's Hall, May, 1914, was awarded the Society's Silver Banksian Medal.

DUC VAN THOL TULIPS.—FOR FORCING.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 4 lb. per 100. Dozens mailed free.

These varieties are valuable for very early forcing, are dwarf in habit, and for conservatory decoration in winter they are extremely handsome and useful.

Cochineal.—Superb cochineal scarlet variety, much larger and taller flower than the other sorts in this section; strongly recommended. Ht. 9 in.

Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Rose.—Pretty rose and white flaked variety, pointed petals. Ht. 7 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Red, with yellow edge.—Crimson scarlet, with distinct yellow edging; rather small, but compact flower. Ht. 7 in.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Scarlet.—Well-shaped flower of brilliant scarlet; good form and colouring. Ht. 8 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Ⓒ **White (Maximus).**—We offer the large-flowered type of this variety, good hold lasting sort. Ht. 7 in.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Yellow.—Bright canary yellow, small well-formed flower. Ht. 7 in.

Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Mixed.—Good assortment from varieties offered above. Ht. 7 to 9 in.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

CARTERS SINGLE EARLY TULIPS.

The following list comprises the very finest and most distinct Tulips, and is recommended as an up-to-date collection of choice varieties either for indoor or outdoor culture. Many of the varieties are striped; we have, therefore, classified them under the predominating colours.

For definition of numbers following the name of each variety, please refer to page 37.

* Varieties recommended for forcing.

CRIMSON, SCARLET, AND SCARLET AND WHITE STRIPES.

If by parcel post add postage at zone rates; weight 7 lb. per 100. Collections and single bulbs mailed free.

- Admiral Reiniere.**—(3) White and rose-carmine striped, fine large flower; good bedder. Ht. 10 in.
Per doz., .55; per 100, 3.50; per 1,000, 30.00
- Artus.**—(3) Bright scarlet, fine showy variety; one of the most popular bedding sorts. Ht. 10 in.
Per doz., .15; per 100, 1.00; per 1,000, 8.50
- *Couleur de Cardinal.**—(4) Dark velvety crimson, with plum-like bloom on outer petals; good for slow forcing. Ht. 12 in. Per doz., .45; per 100, 3.00; per 1,000, 25.00
- Cramoisie Brilliant.**—(2) Vivid scarlet, fine large flower; recommended for bedding. Ht. 12 in.
Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00
- Crimson King.**—(2) Dazzling crimson scarlet, medium size flower; one of the best known bedding varieties. Ht. 12 in. Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00
- *Keizer Kroon (Grand Duc).**—(3) Rich scarlet, deeply edged bright yellow; perhaps the best known of all bedding varieties; also recommended for forcing. Ht. 14 in.
Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00
- Maes.**—(2) Vivid scarlet, fine handsome flower; splendid bedding variety. Ht. 13 in.
Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00
- *Prince of Austria.**—(3) Orange scarlet, large showy flower; good bedder and forcer. Ht. 13 in.
Per doz., .35; per 100, 2.25; per 1,000, 17.50
- Red Admiral.**—(3) Brilliant scarlet, large yellow base; very distinct and showy bedding variety. Ht. 14 in.
Per doz., .65; per 100, 4.25; per 1,000, 37.50
- Waterloo (Belle Alliance).**—(2) Crimson scarlet; well-known bedding variety, also a good forcer. Ht. 10 in.
Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00



Duchesse de Parma.



Joost van Vondel.

- Duchesse de Parma.**—(3) Scarlet crimson, bordered deep yellow, very large and handsome flower; a grand bedder and a good forcer. Ht. 12 in.
Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00
- *Joost van Vondel.**—(3) Rosy crimson, flaked and striped white, large flower of fine long shape; good for either forcing or bedding. Ht. 11 in.
Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00
- Dusart.**—(3) Dark scarlet, distinct and handsome flower; we strongly recommend this as one of the best in this section; has handsome broad foliage. Ht. 10 in.
Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00
- Grace Darling.**—(2) Dull orange scarlet, superb large flower; handsome and effective bedder. Ht. 13 in.
Per doz., .55; per 100, 3.50; per 1,000, 30.00

One each of the above for .60, mailed free.

PINK AND ROSE.

- Claremont Silver.**—(3) Bright rosy pink, feathered white; good showy variety, for bedding. Ht. 12 in.
Per doz., .50; per 100, 3.25; per 1,000, 27.50
- Le Rêve (American Lac—Hobbema).**—(4) Old rose, with orange-buff tint, distinct and very beautiful variety; one of the latest in this section. Ht. 10 in.
Each, .10; per doz., 1.00; per 100, 7.50
- *Rose Aplatie.**—(2) White with soft rose edging, distinct cup-shaped flower, stiff stem; good forcer or bedder, Ht. 12 in. Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00
- *Queen of the Netherlands.**—(3) Beautiful soft rose, flushed white, large globular flower, very handsome; good for either forcing or bedding. Ht. 14 in.
Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00



Marechal Niel.



Silver Standard.

- *Marechal Niel.**—(3) Carters Sweet-scented Tulip, deep orange red; recommended for either forcing or bedding. Ht. 14 in. Per doz., .45; per 100, 3.00; per 1,000, 25.00
- Silver Standard.**—(4) Crimson and white, flaked and feathered; good bedding variety. Ht. 10 in.
Per doz., .35; per 100, 2.25; per 1,000, 17.50
- *Sir Thomas Lipton.**—(3) Brilliant scarlet, very showy and handsome variety of recent introduction, large globular flower; recommended for either forcing or bedding. Ht. 13 in.
Per doz., .60; per 100, 4.00; per 1,000, 35.00
- *Vermilion Brilliant.**—(2) Bright glowing scarlet, large well-shaped flower; good bedder or forcer. Ht. 10 in.
Per doz., .35; per 100, 2.25; per 1,000, 17.50

CARTERS SINGLE EARLY TULIPS—Continued.**PINK AND ROSE—Continued.***Cottage Maid.**Pink Beauty.**Proserpine.**Princess Wilhelmina.*

Cottage Maid.—(3) Pale rose, flaked white ; well-known and popular variety. Ht. 10 in.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

Pink Beauty.—(4) Bright rose pink, broad white marking on each petal, large handsome flower carried on strong stem ; one of the finest varieties of recent introduction, specially recommended ; good for late forcing. Ht. 11 in.

Per doz., .75 ; per 100, 5.00 ; per 1,000, 45.00

***Rose Gris de Lin.**—(4) Pale rose, flushed white ; one of the best known forcing varieties, but good bedder. Ht. 9 in.

Per doz., .20 ; per 100, 1.25 ; per 1,000, 10.00

One each of the 10 varieties for .40, mailed free.

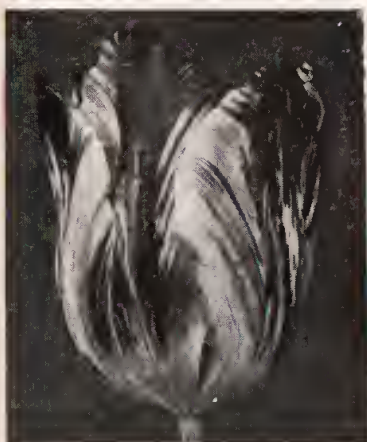
***Proserpine.**—(3) Rich carmine rose, large globular flower ; extremely effective as a bedding variety, and recommended for forcing. Ht. 13 in.

Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50 ; per 1,000, 30.00

Princess Wilhelmina.—(2) Deep rose pink, flushed white, long pointed flower ; handsome bedding variety. Ht. 12 in. Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00 ; per 1,000, 25.00

***Rose Luisante.**—(4) Brilliant rose pink, large handsome variety ; suitable for either forcing or bedding. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .35 ; per 100, 2.25 ; per 1,000, 17.50

VIOLET, PURPLE, AND ROSE.*Fabiola.**Van der Neer.*

Fabiola.—(4) Rosy purple, flaked and striped, large showy flower ; good bedder. Ht. 11 in.

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***Van der Neer.**—(3) Rich purplish violet, large and finely formed flower ; specially recommended for bedding and slow forcing. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .80 ; per 100, 5.25 ; per 1,000, 47.00

Cerise Gris de Lin.—(3) Mauve cerise, edged creamy white ; fine handsome showy variety for bedding. Ht. 10 in. Per doz., .85 ; per 100, 5.50 ; per 1,000, 50.00

***La Remarquable.**—(3) Deep plum, edged soft rose, most striking and beautiful variety ; large flower ; fine bedder, good forcer. Ht. 10 in.

Per doz., .70 ; per 100, 4.50 ; per 1,000, 40.00

***Queen of the Violets.**—(3) Claret violet, fine large flower ; good forcer or bedder. Ht. 11 in.

Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00 ; per 1,000, 25.00

Spaendonck.—(3) Light reddish mauve, striped and splashed ; a variety not much in commerce. Ht. 10 in.

Per doz., .95 ; per 100, 7.00 ; per 1,000, 55.00

Wouwerman.—(3) Fine glowing dark purple, large flower ; splendid bedder. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .70 ; per 100, 4.50 ; per 1,000, 40.00

WHITE AND STRIPED.

Brunhiide.—(2) Pure white, distinct yellow base ; extremely handsome and effective variety, very scarce. Ht. 13 in. Each, .20 ; per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

***Joost van Vondel White (Lady Boreel).**—(3) Pure white, handsome long-shaped flowers of good substance ; strongly recommended as being the best white variety for bedding ; good for slow forcing. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50 ; per 1,000, 30.00

Princess Marianne.—(3) White, slightly striped rose when opening, the whole flower suffused rose as flower develops ; fine and large ; handsome bedding variety.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

***Princess Helene.**—(3) Pure white, large flower ; good for bedding and early forcing.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

The List of White and Striped is continued on next page.

CARTERS SINGLE EARLY TULIPS—Continued.

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WHITE AND STRIPED—Continued.



Arms of Leiden.



Pottebakker White.

Arms of Leiden.—(3) White, striped rose at tip of each petal ; very distinct and effective bedder. Ht. 13 in.

Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

***Pottebakker White.**—(3) Pure white, large globular flower on strong stem ; splendid bedder and good forcer. Ht. 13 in.

Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00 ; per 1,000, 25.00

***White Hawk.**—(5) Pure white, large globular flowers of splendid substance, fine lasting variety, petals crinkled ; splendid for either bedding or forcing. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00



Queen Victoria.



White Swan.

Queen Victoria (La Reine).—(2) White, striped and splashed rose as flower develops ; one of the best known forcing varieties, pure white when forced. Ht. 11 in.

Per doz., .25 ; per 100, 1.50 ; per 1,000, 12.00

White Swan.—(4) Pure white, large egg-shaped flowers of great beauty ; this variety has a somewhat drooping habit, giving it a charming and distinctive character ; the latest in this section. Ht. 14 in.

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YELLOW AND ORANGE.



Chrysolora.



Golden Queen.

Chrysolora.—(3) Golden yellow, fine large globular flower ; highly recommended bedding variety. Ht. 11 in.

Per doz., .35 ; per 100, 2.25 ; per 1,000, 17.50

***Golden Queen.**—(2) Rich golden yellow, large bold flowers ; splendid bedding variety and fine forcer. Ht. 15 in.

Per doz., .50 ; per 100, 3.25 ; per 1,000, 27.50

Cottage Boy.—(4) Deep orange, edged yellow ; flowers of medium size ; good bedding variety. Ht. 10 in.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

Leonardo da Vinci.—(3) Bright orange, yellow edge ; most effective and telling variety for bedding. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .35 ; per 100, 2.25 ; per 1,000, 17.50

***Montresor.**—(2) Fine deep yellow, large, long, well-shaped flower ; one of the finest bedding varieties and splendid forcer. Ht. 12 in.

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***Pottebakker Pure Yellow.**—(2) Golden yellow, fine large flower ; splendid bedder and good forcer. Ht. 14 in.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

***Primrose Queen.**—(2) Sulphur yellow, medium sized flower of good shape ; fine bedder and good forcer. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

***Prince de Ligne.**—(3) Golden yellow, good shape flower ; effective bedding variety and good forcer. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00

Thomas Moore, Imp.—(3) Apricot, medium size flower ; fine handsome variety ; most effective bedder. Ht. 13 in.

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Yellow Prince.—(3) Golden yellow, slightly splashed red as flower develops ; a grand bedding variety and good forcer ; sweet scented. Ht. 12 in.

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						Height.	Per doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000
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"	Yellow , rich golden yellow	11 "	.40	2.50	20.00
"	Bright Rose , a beautiful variety ; may be termed a crushed strawberry	13 "	.70	4.50	40.00
"	Scarlet , a most dazzling scarlet and beautiful flower	10 "	.40	2.50	20.00
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"	Crimson , extremely handsome flower	12 "	.40	2.50	20.00
"	Pale Rose , white flushed with rose	10 "	.40	2.50	20.00
"	Purple , a rich and beautiful type	...	...	...	...	12 "	.70	4.50	40.00
"	Single Mixed , from choice selected varieties	—	.35	2.25	17.50
Single Mixed Tulips , for shrubberies and borders ...						—	.20	1.25	10.00

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"	Crimson	12 "	.40	2.50	20.00
"	Blush Rose	11 "	.40	2.50	20.00
"	Violet	12 "	.60	4.00	35.00
"	Yellow	11 "	.40	2.50	20.00
"	White , slightly later	...	...	...	...	11 "	.40	2.50	20.00
Carters Royal Parks	Double Mixed , from choice selected varieties	—	.35	2.25	17.50
Double Mixed Tulips , for shrubberies and borders ...						—	.20	1.25	10.00

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Mariage de ma Fille.



Gloria Solis.

Alba Maxima.—(B) Pure white, large flower, effective bedder. Ht. 11 in.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

***Blanche Hative.**—(A) Pure white, early; fine variety for bedding and good forcer. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00

Carmen Sylva.—(B) Light rose; latest in double section. Ht. 12 in. Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

***Couronne d'Or.**—(A) Deep yellow, flaked orange; one of the best known double varieties, splendid for bedding and a fine forcer. Ht. 11 in.

Per doz., .60; per 100, 4.00; per 1,000, 35.00

Cusine.—(B) Claret purple, lighter edge; good effective bedder. Ht. 11 in.

Per doz., .20; per 100, 1.25; per 1,000, 10.00

Gloria Solis.—(A) Crimson scarlet, bordered yellow. Ht. 12 in. Per doz., .35; per 100, 2.25; per 1,000, 17.50

***Imperator Rubrorum.**—(A) Crimson scarlet; large showy variety for bedding and a good forcer. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .40; per 100, 2.50; per 1,000, 20.00

La Candeur.—(B) Pure white, recommended for bedding. Ht. 11 in. Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

Mariage de ma Fille.—(B) White, striped and feathered carmine rose; large and effective bedding variety, late flowering. Ht. 14 in.

Per doz., .75; per 100, 5.00; per 1,000, 45.00

***Murillo.**—(A) White with soft rose flush; the most widely known double variety in cultivation; splendid for bedding and reliable forcer. Ht. 11 in.

Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

Queen of Roses.—(A) Deep rose, shaded blush pink; fine effective variety for pots or beds. Ht. 11 in.

Per doz., .45; per 100, 3.00; per 1,000, 25.00

Rose d'Amour.—(A) Delicate soft rose, large and very beautiful flower; strongly recommended bedding variety. Ht. 13 in. Per doz., .70; per 100, 4.50; per 1,000, 40.00

***Rubra Maxima.**—(A) Vermilion scarlet; large flower; splendid bedder and good forcer. Ht. 10 in.

Per doz., .30; per 100, 2.00; per 1,000, 15.00

***Salvator Rosa.**—(A) Rose pink with lighter flush, large flower of fine form; recommended for bedding and forcing. Ht. 10 in.

Per doz., .35; per 100, 2.25; per 1,000, 17.50

***Schoonord.**—(A) Pure white, large flower; the finest double white variety in cultivation, either for bedding or forcing. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .70; per 100, 4.50; per 1,000, 40.00

***Tea Rose (Saffrano).**—(A) Primrose, with pale rose flush as flower develops; flowers of good size; fine for either forcing or bedding. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .60; per 100, 4.00; per 1,000, 35.00

***Toreador.**—(A) Orange scarlet with deep yellow edge; large flower of good form and very showy; highly recommended for either forcing or bedding. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .75; per 100, 5.00; per 1,000, 45.00

***Tournesol.**—(A) Rich scarlet, edged yellow; large flower. Ht. 11 in. Per doz., .55; per 100, 3.50; per 1,000, 30.00

Yellow Rose.—(B) Pure yellow, medium-sized flower; late. Ht. 12 in.

Per doz., .25; per 100, 1.50; per 1,000, 12.00

***Yellow Tournesol.**—(A) Golden yellow, orange shading, large showy flower; strongly recommended for either bedding or forcing. Ht. 11 in.

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Daily Chronicle, May, 1916.



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* *Varieties specially recommended for forcing.*

ALL varieties listed splendid for bedding.

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BLACK AND DARK BROWN.



Philip de Commines.



The Sultan.

One each of the 5 varieties, .45, mailed free.

Faust.—Dark purple maroon, blue base ; large bold flower
Ht. 30 in. Each, .15 ; per doz., 1.50 ; per 100, 10.00

***Leonardo da Vinci.**—A large, broad, erect, true Darwin-shaped flower of deep blackish maroon. Ht. 24 in.
Per doz., .75 ; per 100, 5.00 ; per 1,000, 45.00

Philip de Commines.—Glossy maroon purple ; fine large flowers, erect and well shaped. Ht. 26 in.
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***The Sultan.**—Rich maroon black ; one of the darkest coloured Tulips. Ht. 26 in.
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***Zulu.**—Strikingly handsome egg-shaped flower, purple black ; quite distinct from other varieties. Ht. 26 in.
Per doz., .95 ; per 100, 6.50

PURPLE AND MAUVE.



Euterpe.



Dream.

***Euterpe.**—A very fine large flower of lilac mauve, with lilac edge. Ht. 27 in. Per doz., 1.20 ; per 100, 9.00

Bleu Aimable.—A charming pale mauve, with deeper shading ; very attractive and pleasing variety.
Per doz., 2.00 ; per 100, 14.00

One each of the 9 varieties, .85, mailed free.

***Blue Bird.**—Very handsome variety of a striking mauve blue shade ; one of the largest flowers in this colour ; tall, erect stem. Ht. 26 in.
Per doz., .90 ; per 100, 6.00 ; per 1,000, 52.50

Dream.—A most charming Tulip, violet mauve, suffused towards edges of petals with silvery lilac. Ht. 28 in.
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***Grand Monarque.**—Purple violet ; large handsome flower. Ht. 25 in. Per doz., 1.20 ; per 100, 9.00

Grand Maitre.—Violet, with white base ; rather smaller flower than some varieties, but good colour and substance. Ht. 24 in.
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La Tristesse.—Slaty mauve with lighter edge, deeper colour inside flower ; superb variety. Ht. 26 in.
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Mrs. Potter Palmer.—Rich claret-purple, dark blue centre ; distinct shade ; tall, striking variety. Ht. 28 in.
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HELIOTROPE AND LILAC SHADED.



Nora Ware.



Rev. Ewbank.

***Erguste.**—Deep heliotrope, with silvery shading, a fine soft colour, white base ; distinct long-shaped flower. Ht. 25 in.

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Electra.—A soft lilac, with lighter edge, white base ; well-formed, graceful flower. Ht. 26 in.

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Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

Lantern.—Silvery lilac and white ; perfect shape, fine-formed flower. Ht. 17 in.

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***Nora Ware.**—A very pretty shade of silvery lilac ; nice globular-shaped flower. Ht. 22 in.

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- *Bartigon.**—A tall, large, fiery red flower, very strong ; base white, edged blue. Ht. 25 in.
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- *Donders.**—Dark crimson, violet and white base. Ht. 25 in.
Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00 ; per 1,000, 25.00
- *Glow.**—Scarlet vermillion, distinct blue and white base, very brilliant colour. Ht. 22 in.
Per doz., .50 ; per 100, 3.25 ; per 1,000, 27.50
- *Pride of Haarlem.**—Bright carmine rose, fine blue base ; large, strikingly handsome flower. Ht. 26 in.
Per doz., .50 ; per 100, 3.25 ; per 1,000, 27.50
- Professor Francis Darwin.**—Rich glowing crimson-scarlet, base of metallic blue ; fine large showy flower.
Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50 ; per 1,000, 30.00
- Whistler.**—Crimson scarlet ; well-formed flower. Ht. 25 in.
Per doz., .85 ; per 100, 5.50 ; per 1,000, 47.50
- William Pitt.**—Deep crimson scarlet ; blue and white base. Ht. 26 in.
Per doz., .65 ; per 100, 4.25 ; per 1,000, 35.00

SCARLET.*H. J. Elwes.**Mr. Farncombe Sanders.*

- G. de Cordous.**—Brilliant scarlet red ; flowers of good substance. Ht. 22 in.
Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00
- H. J. Elwes.**—Glowing crimson scarlet ; large handsome flower. Ht. 22 in.
Per doz., .95 ; per 100, 6.50 ; per 1,000, 57.50
- Isis.**—Bright crimson scarlet ; Very handsome tall flower. Ht. 26 in. Per doz., .90 ; per 100, 6.00 ; per 1,000, 52.50
- Millet.**—Splendid dull crimson flower, blue-black base. Ht. 20 in. Per doz., .60 ; per 100, 4.00 ; per 1,000, 35.00
- Minister Tak (Tak van Poortvliet).**—Rosy scarlet, blue base ; fine large flower. Ht. 26 in.
Per doz., .60 ; per 100, 4.00 ; per 1,000, 35.00
- *Mr. Farncombe Sanders.**—Very beautiful, large flowers ; deep rose scarlet, white centre ; strikingly handsome. Ht. 27 in.
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- *Salmon King.**—Rich glowing salmon, with distinct white centre. Ht. 22 in.
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One each of the above 9 varieties, .45, mailed free.

PINK AND PINK SHADED.*Clara Butt.**Margaret.*

- *Antony Roozen.**—Large flower, deep rose, shading to pale blush rose at edge. Ht. 22 in.
Per doz., .60 ; per 100, 4.00 ; per 1,000, 35.00

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Per doz., .85 ; per 100, 5.50 ; per 1,000, 50.00
- La Fiancee.**—Deep rose, with distinct pale pink at edge ; fine large strikingly handsome variety. Ht. 28 in.
Each, .25 ; per doz., 2.50 ; per 100, 16.00
- *Margaret (Gretchen).**—A distinct, very pretty, globular-shaped Tulip ; outside of flower blush pink, inside rather deeper shade. Ht. 24 in.
Per doz., .30 ; per 100, 2.00 ; per 1,000, 15.00
- Massachusetts.**—Soft rose, with lighter edge ; large handsome flower. Ht. 24 in.
Per doz., .60 ; per 100, 4.00 ; per 1,000, 35.00
- Psyche.**—Soft blush rose, with deeper colour outside ; petals edges slightly marbled white. Ht. 26 in.
Per doz., .75 ; per 100, 5.00 ; per 1,000, 45.00

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ROSE AND ROSE SHADED.



Madame Krelage.



Suzon.

Carminea.—Deep carmine rose, fine blue base. Ht. 22 in.
Per doz., .40 ; per 100, 2.50 ; per 1,000, 20.00

Gustave Doré.—Bright rose, shading lighter at edge, white base. Ht. 24 in.
Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50 ; per 1,000, 30.00

One each of the 9 varieties, .50, mailed free.

***Madame Krelage.**—Deep rose, margined soft rose ; very fine handsome variety. Ht. 28 in.

Per doz., .50 ; per 100, 3.25 ; per 1,000, 27.50

May Queen.—Bright soft rose, blue centre ; well-formed flower. Ht. 24 in.

Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50 ; per 1,000, 30.00

***Mrs. Cleveland.**—Soft pale blush rose, with blue and white base. Ht. 26 in.

Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50 ; per 1,000, 30.00

Queen of Roses.—Rich carmine rose, shaded silvery blush. Ht. 23 in.

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***Nauticus.**—Purplish rose, deep violet blue base ; one of the largest Darwin Tulips. Ht. 28 in.

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***Siread van Flora (Flora's Ornament).**—Vivid rosy red ; extra large round flower. Ht. 24 in.

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***Suzon.**—Soft rose, shaded blush white, base blue and white ; a very handsome variety. Ht. 24 in.

Per doz., .85 ; per 100, 5.50 ; per 1,000, 50.00

WHITE AND WHITE SHADED.

***Painted Lady.**—Creamy white, slightly tinted rose lilac when opening ; medium size flower on dark stem. Ht. 24 in. Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50 ; per 1,000, 30.00

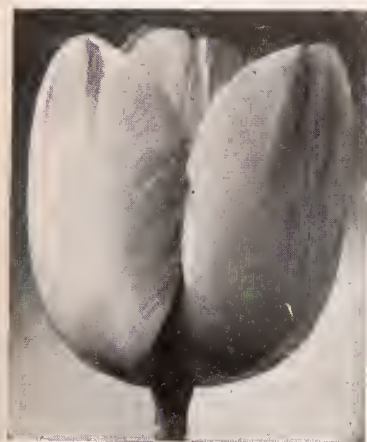
***Wedding Veil.**—Pale lilac, shaded white, base pure white ; medium size flower. Ht. 22 in.
Per doz., .45 ; per 100, 3.00 ; per 1,000, 25.00

White Queen (La Candeur).—Creamy white, very faintly tinged with blush pink in its early stages ; fine globular flower. Ht. 24 in.

Per doz., .55 ; per 100, 3.50 ; per 1,000, 30.00

One each of the 3 varieties, .30, mailed free.

ORANGE, BRONZE, AND YELLOW.



Yellow Darwin.



Bronze Queen.

***Bronze Queen (Biscuit) (Clio).**—Very pleasing delicate shade of brown, inside tinted golden bronze.

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Sunset.—A distinct large reddish brown flower, shaded terra-cotta. Ht. 23 in.

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Yellow Perfection.—Bronze yellow, shading lighter at edge, very distinct colour. Ht. 24 in.

Each, .10 ; per doz., 1.00 ; per 100, 7.50

***Yellow Darwin (Inglescombe Yellow).**—A perfect flower, canary yellow ; not a true Darwin, but nearest in shape to be classed with them. Ht. 18 in.

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From choice named varieties.

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